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## NEWTON.

—Mr. J. P. Bird and family have gone to Ashby, Mass.

—Mr. G. D. Colburn and family are at Hull for the season.

—Mr. G. B. Johnson has gone to Manchester-by-the-Sea.

—Miss Annie George left this week for West Hampsted, N. H.

—Mr. M. C. Bragdon and family have removed to Newton Highlands.

—Rev. J. B. Gould and wife have gone to Cottage City for the summer.

—Miss Barnard of England is a guest of her sister, Mrs. Geo. S. Harwood.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Holman are taking their vacation at Suffield, Conn.

—Mr. Chas. E. Billings and family have gone to their summer home at Magnolia.

—Mr. Geo. S. Harwood and Mr. Thomas Nickerson are in Colorado for a few weeks.

—Mr. S. C. Smith and family are now at Sandwich, Mass., where they will spend the summer.

—The last concert of the Newton Boat Club Series takes place Saturday evening at Riverside.

—Dr. James Utley of this city has been elected lecturer on Minor Surgery to the Boston University of Medicine.

—The gallery at Cole's Hall is being fitted up for a paraphernalia room, by Garden City Encampment, I. O. O. F.

—Mr. A. A. Glines has placed some very handsome frames on the charters of Waban Lodge, I. O. O. F. and Garden City Encampment.

—Saturday afternoon at 3.30, the Nonantum Cycle Club leave Newtonville for a run to Bailey's Hotel, where they will have supper.

—Mr. E. C. Huxley, wife and two children, sailed for Europe on Thursday on the Pavonia. They are to be absent two months.

—Representative Walworth is on the joint special committee on armories, which is to sit during the recess of the legislature.

—There will be communion service at the Methodist church Sunday morning. In the evening the pastor will preach on "The Appearance of Evil."

—The Nonantum Cycle Club are invited to participate in the Fourth of July festivities at Brookline, that town generously voting money for prizes and other attractions for the day.

—Mr. W. P. Wentworth is making sketches for the new St. Mary's church, Dorchester. The old building was recently destroyed by fire. The new one will be a very beautiful stone structure.

—Mr. E. P. Marsh has returned from a visit to South Hadley, where he went to attend the semi-centennial of Mount Holyoke Seminary, and to witness the graduation of his cousin, Miss Montague.

—Miss Emma Eames, whose lovely voice will be well remembered by the attendants at Channing church, is living in Paris with her mother, studying hard for her approaching debut at the Grand Opera.

—The health of Judge Gardner of the supreme court, who is now in London, does not improve. It is stated that his mental faculties are gradually declining, and that there is but slight hope that he will ever resume his place on the supreme bench.

—On the 6th of July the Iron Hall will have a hearing before the Insurance Commissioners, at which time arrangements will probably be made to adapt the rules of the organization to the laws of the state.

—Newton Lodge, A. O. U. W., will have a visitation from the Grand Lodge officers next Wednesday evening, at which time there will be initiation ceremonies, work by the officers of Metropolitan Lodge of Boston, and a collation.

—Waban Lodge I. O. O. F., met Thursday evening and elected the following officers: N. G., A. F. Nutting; V. G., J. L. Curtis; recording secretary, A. A. Glines; treasurer, Edmund Johnson. The others will be appointed next week.

—The Newton Bicycle Club and their lady friends have been invited to take a run out to Arthur Whittaker's famous strawberry farm in Needham, and it is needless to add that the invitation has been accepted.

—It is rumored that among the many possible openings for Mr. E. H. Cutler, there is one in a large city in connection with a University. It is a position of great honor and usefulness. It is also stated that some negotiations are in progress looking to his settlement in charge of a department in the Berkeley School, Boston. What he will do is as yet unsettled.

—The Appalachian Mountain Club left Boston this (Friday) morning for the White Mountains, their objective point being the Crawford House. Mrs. A. D. S. Sampson and the Misses Sampson accompanied the club, and after spending a week at the Crawford House, they will spend the rest of the summer in the mountains, part of the time at Shelburne.

—The Pilgrim Fathers held their semi-annual election last Monday evening. The following are the officers for the coming season: Governor, Dr. Hudson; Lieut. Governor, Mrs. Dr. Hudson; Chaplain, Mrs. Bunker; Secretary, Dr. Bunker; Treasurer, W. B. Whittier; Sergeant at Arms, John Wier; Deputy, Mrs. Prescott; Inner Sentinel, W. A. Prescott; Outer, W. L. Stiles, Jr. Installation exercises will be held at the next meeting.

—At the first open air service under the auspices of the Young Men's Christian Association on the bank grounds last Sunday, Evangelist Sayford preached a very effective sermon on the duty of hearing the Gospel, and its effects when heard attentively. There are few speakers who hold and sway their audiences more powerfully than Mr. Sayford, and his earnest words and manner always impress for good. Mr. Robert Scott, who spoke last year, will speak again next Sunday at 4 o'clock on Temperance, and no doubt he will have a large audience to hear him. The Praise Service will begin at 3.45, assisted by four pieces by the Ashman

family. Good seats and good shade. All are welcome.

—Mr. G. T. Coppens and family left this week for Mattapoisett.

—Rev. Dr. Calkins will sail for Europe July 16th from New York.

—Misses Carrie P. and Fannie Jones have gone to Danbury, N. H.

—Miss Alice Gilman is home from her year at Bradford Academy.

—Mrs. W. O. Trowbridge and family are spending the summer at Magnolia.

—Prof. J. K. Richardson and wife are at Lancaster, N. H., for the summer.

—Mr. James Blake and family have gone to Lake Sunapee for the summer.

—Mr. Renslow Crosby returned Thursday morning from his visit to Arizona.

—Mr. J. Eliot Trowbridge and family have gone to Magnolia for the summer.

—Hon. W. P. Ellison and family have gone to their summer home at Duxbury.

—Mr. B. F. Merritt and family have gone to North Scituate, Mass., for the summer.

—Charles Gay has been kept in the house for two or three weeks with a sprained ankle.

—Mr. Otis Childs and Mrs. Thomas Weston, Jr., are at the Sea View House, Kennebunk beach, Me.

—Mr. G. C. Gow, musical pastor of the Baptist church, is spending a few days vacation at Montreal.

—Dr. Mark Blumenthal, a distinguished physician of New York City, and wife, arrived in Newton, Thursday, and are visiting Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Frisbie.

—The Wide Awakes defeated the Elmwoods of Allston on Wednesday, 5 to 3, and on Thursday, the same sleepless club defeated the Hawthornes of West Newton, 12 to 11.

—Mrs. F. M. Johnson of Chestnut Hill entertained the children of the Pomroy Home at her residence on Hammond street on Tuesday. They were conveyed over in one of Mr. Tinkham's barges, and had a very enjoyable time.

—Miss Mary C. Latta, daughter of ex-Postmaster Latta, was married at the residence of Rev. J. W. Wellman, Malden, on Friday last, to Mr. C. A. Brodeur of Penacook, N. H., a member of the graduating class at Harvard.

—The fire in the old Stickney house, across the river, last Sunday night, was of incendiary origin, and fortunately was extinguished with but little damage. The house is one of the oldest in this section, but is only occupied by the family at infrequent intervals.

—At Eliot church next Sunday, Communion service at 10.45 a. m. At 7 p. m. there will be a lecture by Dr. Calkins on the "Education of Women." He will show how the educated may assist those who are not, and how a woman may obtain a living in industrial employment.

—Orders have been given for the erection of a Reredos of Caen stone for the chapel altar of Grace church. It will be over 7 feet wide, and 6 feet high, carved and ornamented. It will be in memory of Mrs. Freeland, who erected the altar as a memorial of her husband. The Reredos will be in position sometime in July.

—The committee in charge of the Fete Champetre have closed up their accounts, and find that the enterprise netted the gratifying total of \$1600. The young ladies, who first thought of the fete were more than surprised at such a magnificent showing, and it shows what can be done when the people of Newton are interested. The success reflects the greatest credit upon the committee, and the two excellent charities, The Country Week and the Fresh Air Fund, have each received a check for \$805, which will do a wonderful amount of good to many poor children. Mr. J. Howard Nichols has also received \$2.50, as the result of a fair held by two little girls, Gertrude Holmes and Maud Heller, which amount they contributed to the fund. The R. S. Y. Club desire to express their thanks to all who helped make the Fete Champetre a success.

—The marriage of Miss Florence Stetson Hoogs to Mr. Albert Clinton Brackett took place at Grace church, Wednesday evening, Rev. Dr. Shinn and Rev. Wm. G. Wells officiating. The church was beautifully decorated with flowers and foliage plants, and was filled with guests from all parts of Newton, besides many from other cities. The bride wore a handsome dress of white satin, with beaded corsage and long train, and was attended by two bridesmaids, Miss Josie Hoogs, and Miss Edith Brown. Mr. Wentworth of Boston acted as best man, and the man ushers were Messrs K. J. Taylor, C. Bowditch Coffin, A. L. Brackett and W. S. Brackett. After the ceremony a reception was held at the residence of the bride's mother, Newtonville avenue, Newtonville, and there was a large attendance of the relatives and friends of the bride and groom. The presents were costly and of great variety.

## Field Day.

The Natural History Society will hold its second Field Day at Concord, Mass., on Thursday, July 7. The party will leave Watertown at 6.02 a. m., and arrive at Concord about 10. Returning, leave Concord at 3 p. m. All are invited to accompany the society. Persons wishing to do so can join the party at Waltham or Concord. If a party of twenty-five are assured round trip tickets can be had for sixty cents, otherwise the regular fare. Further information can be obtained of Dr. J. F. Frisbie.

## A New Drug Store.

The new drug store of G. Wilkins Shaw, on the corner of Washington and Centre streets has been very artistically fitted up in cherry, with all new fixtures and new goods. The prescription case is one of the handsomest things to be seen in any store in Newton. The front is of carved cherry, with hand-painted panels on either side of a large mirror, and the side rooms are divided off from the store with handsome portieres. Mr. Shaw's stock is all new, and his long experience in the business, both in West Newton and in Metcalf's famous drug store in Boston, entitles him to the confidence of the public. Visitors will be surprised to see the transformation that has taken place in the store.

## Fire Works

For July Fourth at the Newton Bazaar. A well selected stock of crackers, torpedoes, pistols and caps, flags and lanterns, boxes of assorted fire works of all kinds. Open all day the Fourth.

## MR. GOODWIN ELECTED.

THE SCHOOL BOARD HOLDS A RATHER UNEXPECTED MEETING.

The School Board, which adjourned to July 5th, was suddenly called together Tuesday evening, to take action on the election of Mr. E. J. Goodwin, of Nashua, N. H., as master of the High School. No reason was given to the public for this change in plans, but it is said that Mr. Goodwin declined to have his election suspended for so long a time, and demanded instant action, as the situation was neither pleasant nor flattering for him. The school board met at 7.30, with all the members present except President Coffin, Dr. Shinn and Mr. Frost. The High School Committee, which had been in session previously, reported through the chairman, Mr. E. W. Converse, that the committee recommended that Mr. Goodwin be engaged, and that his salary be fixed at \$3,000, an increase of \$200 over what had previously been paid.

Mr. Ames said that all the members of the High School Committee seemed to be satisfied in their own minds, and as the interests of the High School should be dearer than the interests of any one man, he hoped the new comer would be given a cordial welcome and a fair start, that the past would be buried and the future would be looked forward to hopefully. He recommended that Mr. Goodwin be elected unanimously.

The motion passed and the salary was fixed at \$3,000.

Mr. Philbrick then moved that the cases of Miss Rich and Miss Smith be taken from the table, and said that these ladies who had worked so faithfully for the school had been very unfairly treated, in being left in suspense so long.

Mayor Kimball said that he agreed heartily with the sentiments of Mr. Philbrick.

Mr. Walton then moved that the board go into executive session, and read an address in defence of such action, in which he stated that it was not taken because the board had no confidence in the public, but because they had; the public had shown their confidence in the members of the board by electing them to such responsible positions. The action was not taken because the board had no confidence in the friends who were present to report the proceedings, but because it was essential that for teachers to succeed in their work, they must have the confidence of their pupils, and it would do no good to have the criticisms made upon the teachers published.

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## THE EXECUTIVE SESSION.

It was finally decided to hire two male teachers, in place of the two ladies whose names were under consideration. The number of boys in the school is so large, that it was thought best to make this change for the sake of good order and discipline, on the theory that boys of the lower classes are more easily restrained by male teachers than by those of the opposite sex. It will increase the expense of conducting the school, as large salaries will have to be paid. Had the board reached this decision earlier, or given some intimation of their plans, it would have been much fairer to the two excellent teachers who are to retire, and whose faithful services entitled them to that courtesy at least.

## Emerson-Graves.

One of the most brilliant weddings of the year took place Tuesday evening, at Channing church, when Miss Emma L. Graves, daughter of Mr. Chester H. Graves, was married to Mr. W. H. Emerson of Newton. The church was crowded with guests long before the appointed hour, and the pulpit platform was elaborately decorated with flowers and foliage plants. Rev. Mr. Hornbrook officiated and Messrs. Walter H. Holbrook, Sydney Harwood, E. F. Scripture and Frank Graves of this city and Charles H. Shaw of Brookline acted as ushers. The selection of wedding music upon the organ was especially fine. After the ceremony a reception was held at the residence of the bride's parents on Hovey street, where the grounds had been brilliantly illuminated with electric lights, and a large hall had been built on to the house and covered with canvas, in which the supper was served. The house and the dining hall were beautifully decorated with flowers. The bride and groom received the congratulations of their friends in the large parlors, and a very large company was present. Music was rendered during the evening by a hidden orchestra. The bride wore a handsome dress of white silk with train, and the long lace veil was worn away from the face. The presents were almost countless in number and many of them of great value. Mr. and Mrs. Emerson will be absent for two months in Europe, after which they will return to Newton and reside in the house now being built for them, on the corner of Washington and Hovey streets.

## The Berkeley School.

The friends of Mr. E. H. Cutler will be interested in the advertisement of the Berkeley School, a large private school for boys and girls, which has offered an arrangement by which Mr. Cutler may remain a resident of Newton, and an instructor of some of its children. It has been suggested by many that Mr. Cutler could succeed in opening a private school in this city, but such an enterprise involves considerable expense and uncertainty. Here is a prosperous school, already well attended, with able teachers in every department, endorsed by some of the best known men in the state, ready to give Mr. Cutler a certainty, provided he can bring enough pupils to pay the salary his work entitles him to expect. As several families have expressed an intention of sending their children to a private school, it might be well for them to combine on one and retain the influence of Mr. Cutler at the same time.

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## CITY GOVERNMENT.

BOTH BRANCHES ADJOURN OVER UNTIL SEPTEMBER.

Both branches of the city government met Monday evening. In the Common Council all the members were present except Messrs. Burr and Gore, and only concurrent business was transacted. An adjournment was made to the 12th of September.

In the board of aldermen all the members were present. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The street railway order came up for discussion, and Alderman Nickerson read two agreements, one of which was satisfactory to the Highway Committee, and the other to the Street Railway Committee.

The chief points of difference were, as already stated in the GRAPHIC, that the Highway Committee desire the company to use the Richards improved rail, weighing 54 pounds to the yard, and the best quality Boston Paving blocks, and pay to the city 1-2 cent for every passenger carried, after the road has been in operation three years. The company do not wish to be bound by any special kind of rail, as they say they will have to pay much more than if they could invite competition; and the same is true in regard to paving blocks. The committee are willing to leave the word Boston out of the clause about paving blocks, if first quality blocks are used, but they insist upon the rail, as no other seems to promise to be of so little inconvenience to those who drive along the streets, and they are willing to compromise about the amount to be paid to the city for each passenger carried.

The agreements are of a solid character, and provide that the company shall not pile up snow on either side of their track, shall pay all expenses of repairing streets caused by laying their tracks; shall lay their tracks in a manner satisfactory to the City Engineer and the Highway Committee, that their grant from the city shall not be assignable to any other person or corporation, and that the disuse of any street shall forfeit their permission to use said street.

Alderman Pettee said that four members of the board were not present at the hearings last winter, and proceeded to explain the points brought out in the several hearings, both for and against the road, at considerable length.

Alderman Nickerson said the committee had written to many cities for samples of the rails used and the Richards rail was admitted to be the best. There was an English one quite as good, but it was much more expensive. A heavy rail was needed, so that it would not be injured by the driving across it of heavy teams.

The committee had had samples of the paving stones used in Boston, and were satisfied that only the first quality would answer the purpose. The road should be so constructed as to cause the least possible discomfort to carriages.

Alderman Pettee said that it had been stated that the company could not afford to build such an expensive road. That was not the board of aldermen's business, they should agree upon what was best for the city, and if the company could not afford to build such a road now, they could wait until the city grew.

Alderman Grant said that the Highway Committee consisted of three aldermen and four councilmen, and as the decision of the matter rested with the aldermen alone, he thought the board or a special committee should consider it and see if some satisfactory agreement could not be reached.

Alderman Pettee called for the ordinance which had been passed some time ago, which read that the board should make such an agreement as the Highway Committee should direct.

Alderman Grant said that he saw nothing in that to prevent referring the matter to a special committee of the board.

Alderman Nickerson said the committee ought to be a committee of the whole. Alderman Hollis said the question was one of great importance, and the new members lacked the necessary information. A vote should not be passed until they could study it. He thought the matter should be referred to a special committee, and after a full investigation they could report at a future meeting what measures they thought best to adopt. He meant no reflection on the Highway Committee, as they had acted only for the best interests of the city, but the board ought to know more about the matter.

Alderman Harwood said that the Highway Committee had looked into the matter thoroughly, and their recommendations ought to be followed.

Alderman Ward said that if the Highway Committee would report their opinions the board would be able to make a report to night. He should like to hear some report from them.

Alderman Pettee said that if the whole board would act as a committee, they could soon reach a decision and announce their ultimatum.

Alderman Hollis said that the Highway Committee had only reported that they were unable to agree; perhaps a smaller committee might be more successful, and reach some decision that would be satisfactory to all.

Alderman Nickerson said that the committee had not reported that they were unable to agree, but that the railroad company had refused to accept their terms.

Alderman Grant said that perhaps the trouble was that the majority of the committee were from the Common Council, and if a special committee of aldermen were appointed the whole question could be brought to a focus. It was plain that the board of aldermen had the right to grant a location, but the matter was then left in the Highway Committee's hands. Perhaps a different view would be taken after there had been a full discussion.

He moved that the matter be referred to a committee of the whole.

Alderman Pettee said that as yet the company had given no details, and he should like to hear some, and if they were to be given a hearing the remonstrants should also be given a chance to be heard. Alderman Nickerson said that the officers of the company had been requested to make a statement, and he had no objection to hearing from them.

Mr. George W. Morse said it was merely a correction of the mistakes that had been made.

Alderman Pettee said he did not propose to be corrected, and he did not see the need of any statements from the company at this time.

Mr. Morse was given leave to speak and said that the public statutes provided that the board of aldermen must either grant a location or refuse it. It had no power to ask the company to sign an agreement, and if one was signed it would not be legal or binding. The statutes defined the powers of the board. If a location was granted, the company must accept the terms given. No joint committee could legally act, save to give advice, as the board could not delegate its powers. The power given to the board by the legislature might possibly be construed as giving them a location, but the company wished to know every respect to the board and so had applied to them for a location, and were bound to accept their decision.

Alderman Nickerson said it was a misapprehension of terms rather than of ideas.

The question was then referred to a committee of the whole and Thursday evening, June 30th, was appointed as the date, at 7 p. m.

## OTHER BUSINESS.

A communication was received from Rev. B. K. Pierce, resigning his position as trustee of the Public Library, he having been appointed librarian. The resignation was accepted and Mayor Kimball appointed Mr. Edwin B. Haskell to fill the vacancy.

A petition was received from residents of Waverley avenue for a plank sidewalk from Sarge nt to Montrose street, on the westerly side of the avenue.

Alderman Grant reported an order which was passed, appropriating \$125 for clerical assistance in the office of the City Treasurer.

An order was passed authorizing the Street Light & Fuel committee to purchase 2,000 tons of coal for the use of the city.

Horace S. Crowell asked to have a concrete walk laid on Waverley avenue.

W. F. Woodman of Newton Center was granted a license to keep and sell fireworks.

Thomas O'Leary, who asked for \$250 damages, was given leave to withdraw.

Licenses were granted to D. D. Slade, for stable on Hammond street; C. H. Corman, for stable on Parker street; D. H. McWain, for shed on Pelham street; H. W. Crowell, for shed on Church street.

Eleazar Thompson of Newton Highlands was granted a license as an auctioneer.

James McGurty and D. S. Farnham were granted licenses to move buildings.

C. W. Morehouse, O. F. Lucas and A. H. Whitney were granted licenses to sell gunpowder.

The public property committee were given power to procure plans and specifications for a two room school house on Station street, Thompsonville, and to advertise for proposals.

Wm. Pettegrew gave notice of intention to build a dwelling house, 34 by 47 on Prince street; one 31 by 47 on Washington street; H. F. Titus, to build house 30 feet square on Richardson street.

A number of small bills were approved, among them one of \$120 for type writer, for use in the City Clerk's office.

Dustin J. Smith, Russell F. Smith, Clark Fisher, Wm. P. Soule, Wm. A. Leonard and Chas. R. Young were appointed special policemen for the 3rd, 4th and 5th of July.

An order was passed to pay the claim of Maurice Gray, \$8,000, for damage done by defective water pipe.

Alderman Pettee presented a petition to have the pay of engineers in the fire department restored from \$950 to \$1080, and that of drivers from \$750 to \$900.

Upper Falls residents petitioned to have grade of low section of Winter street raised.

It was voted to pay J. Q. Henry and others \$50, for expenses incurred in looking up defective titles.

The board then adjourned to September 5th.

## Miscellaneous.

"The business men of Chicago are compelled to transact their business in a very short time during the day, therefore they are necessarily rushed," said an observant man. "Why don't they get up early?" "Bless you, they do get up early." "Why, then, do they lose so much time?" "They spend it in restaurants waiting for something to eat."—Arkansas Traveler.

An old fellow and his wife each liked a glass. They bought a keg of beer and agreed that each should pay the other a dime every time he or she took a drink. They had but one dime left after paying for the original purchase and that was in the hands of the man. He took a drink and passed the coin to the woman. She soon felt thirsty and passed it back to him for another. And so the process went on until the keg was empty, and they were amazed to find but a single dime for the whole.—Galveston News.

A young clerk was shut six hours in a refrigerator the other day, imprisoned by accident. When at last he was released, he said he felt just as though he had been attending a social at a fashionable church.—[Harford Journal.]

"I don't see why you can't keep awake in church," said the pastor. "I am there as long as you are, and I don't have to sleep half the time." "Oh, well," replied the deacon, "you just sit down in a pew and let me preach and I'll bet a new organ you wouldn't keep your eyes open ten minutes."—[Brooklyn Eagle.]

Last Sunday a teacher in a Maine Sunday school had been telling her class about Moses, dwelling at length upon his character, and desiring to test their attention and memory she asked, "What kind of a child was Moses?" All was silent for a moment, when one little fellow answered up: "I think he was a boy, ma'am."—[Bangor Commercial.]

"Do you suffer much from cold feet?" inquired the shoe merchant with kindly interest, as he complied with the lady's request and showed her the thickest-soled shoes he had in the store. "She suffer?" broke in her husband, impetuously. "Great Scott! She suffer? Not much. I'm the victim. I'm the one that has to suffer." "George?" said the lady. That was all she said, but George seemed to understand, and there was a silence that was not broken until the merchant observed in a deferential and fawning way that it looked as if there was going to be some kind of a storm if the wind didn't change.

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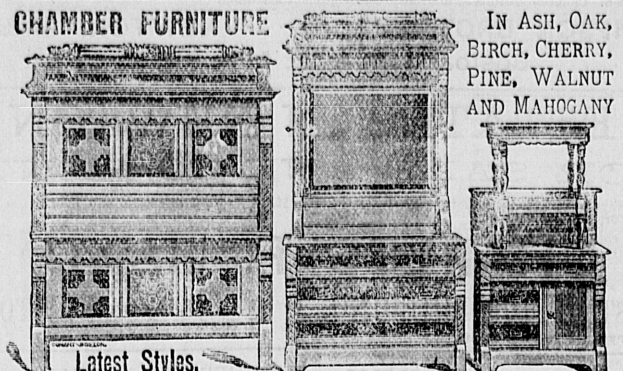
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## 27th ANNUAL EXHIBITION.

OF THE GRADUATES OF THE NEWTON  
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The graduating exercises of the class of '87 drew a very large crowd to the High School building on Tuesday, and before the hour appointed for beginning the exercises, every seat in the large room was filled, and the friends of the school had taken possession of the smaller room reserved for the pupils. The exercises opened promptly with the marching in of the graduating class, and after they were seated Mr. Cutler called upon those who had parts assigned them, the order being as follows:

## ORDER OF EXERCISES.

The Lord's Prayer.  
Oration—"Salvete,"..... Herbert M. Chase  
Essay—"Two Heroines of the French Revolution,"..... May M. Smith  
Oration—"The Importance of the Study of History,"..... Robert S. Woodworth  
Vocal Duet,..... Mary B. Caldwell and Agnes Chase  
Essay—"The Higher Education of Women,"..... Florence H. Paul  
Oration—"Alexander Hamilton,"..... William K. Denison  
Essay—"The Moral Lessons of Astronomy,"..... Caroline Goodyear  
Piano Solo,..... Adelaide F. LeCompte  
Colloquy—"Men and Women as Seen by the Poets,"..... Thomas G. Adams, Eugene A. Crockett, Frederick H. Hitchcock, Herbert S. Potter, William E. Ryder, Robert S. Shedd, Annie B. Blackwell, Gertrude Briggs, Emma L. Nickerson, Sarah B. Rice, Mary J. Scott and Sarah S. Southworth.  
Singing,..... Agnes G. Chase  
Oration—"Our Country's Indebtedness to Other Nations,"..... Herbert M. Chase  
Essay—"Architecture,"..... Alice S. Clement  
Oration—"The Battle of Zama,"..... Harry N. Gay  
Piano Solo,..... Charlotte Ballou  
Essay—"Class History,"..... Mariana W. Blood  
Vocal Trio—"Alice S. Clement, Mary J. Caldwell, Gertrude Briggs, Isabelle V. Jackson, Grace T. Colburn, Charlotte Ballou.  
Presentation of Diplomas.  
Benediction.

Mr. Chase's oration was a very clever one and spoken with admirable clearness and emphasis, so that even those whose knowledge of Latin had grown rusty were able to follow him with more or less ease. Miss Smith's parallel between two heroines of the French Revolution, Madame Elizabeth and Madame Roland, was very cleverly drawn, and the difference between the moral natures of the two heroines skillfully contrasted. The practical nature of the essays rather took the audiences by surprise, and they would have done no discredit to graduates of a much more advanced school. However, that is one of the great merits of the Newton High School. There was an excellent moral tone running through all the essays, and the pupils have evidently had the benefit of wise instruction in that as well as in other respects.

Miss Paul's "Higher Education of Women" was another excellent essay, and was full of practical advice to her sisters. Miss Caroline Goodyear, whose essay was entitled "The Moral Lesson of Astronomy" was excused, as she had unexpectedly gone to Europe after the essay was written. The other essays and orations were all excellent, and gave evidence of the faithful instruction in their own language, the school has received. It is doubtful if there is a high school in the country whose pupils have such a high grade of literary ability, part of which is of course due to the Lyceum and Review.

A very amusing colloquy entitled "Men and Women as Seen by the Poets," gave a pleasing variety to the exercises, and the quotations on the respective merits of the two sexes were very apt, and at times very amusing. The musical part of the exercises, it was explained, were under the charge of Miss Adelaide F. LeCompte, one of the graduates, who is an excellent musician, and they were not the least interesting part of the exercises. The class history by Miss Blood was written in excellent taste, and is given in full below. The allusions to the teachers to whom the class felt especially indebted, called out enthusiastic applause, and that to Mr. Cutler called out such a hearty response both from the pupils and from the audience that it was several minutes before the fair historian could proceed.

The exercises closed with the presentation of the class for diplomas, which was done by Mr. Cutler, who said that the class was not only one of the largest that ever graduated from the school, but also was not surpassed by any of its predecessors in character and attainments. As he was to graduate from the school with the class, he said he should always esteem it an honor to belong to the class of '87.

Mayor Kimball responded by saying that it was a pleasant duty for him to present diplomas to a class so highly commended. It was an honor to a school to send forth such pupils, and the high reputation of the Newton High School graduates was due, not because it had a school board (laughter); not wholly because it had an unsurpassed corps of teachers (applause); but chiefly because of the studious character, industry and application of the pupils themselves. He hoped they would always carry with them the memory of the pleasant, happy years they had passed here, and as they went forth to take their part in the world's duties, they would find as much happiness as they had had in the past. He wished the graduates every prosperity, and then proceeded to distribute the diplomas. He caused a smile by stating that he would not read them, as through some blunder the diplomas were not on hand, and blank paper had to be substituted. The school board took charge of getting the diplomas this year, but have been too busy with other matters to get them ready in time.

Following is a list of graduates:  
FOUR YEARS' COURSE.

CLASSICAL.  
Forrest N. Adams, Frederick H. Hitchcock,  
Thomas G. Adams, Emma L. Nickerson,  
Mariana W. Blood, Florence H. Paul,  
Herbert M. Chase, Helen R. Rice,  
Cora S. Cobb, May M. Smith,  
Arthur S. Cooley, Charlotte Spurr,  
William K. Denison, George S. Stewart,  
John M. W. Farnham, Herbert K. Stiles,  
Harry N. Gay, Grace Weston,  
Robert S. Woodworth.

GENERAL.  
Grace Allen, Mary F. Homer,  
Carrie L. Babcock, James Frederick Hopkins,  
Charlotte Ballou, Sarah S. Hunt,  
Laura W. Ballou, Isabelle V. Jackson,  
Eugene K. Bigelow, Edith K. Jones,  
Annie B. Blackwell, Rose F. Kempton,  
Carrie Blodgett, Adelaide F. LeCompte,  
George M. Bridges, Marion E. Marsh, Mary M. Morse,  
Gertrude Briggs, Ernest Nickerson,  
Mary B. Caldwell, Herbert S. Potter, Sarah B. Rice,  
Agnes G. Chase, Edwin T. Rollins,  
Alice S. Clement, William E. Ryder,  
Grace T. Colburn, Nellie E. Staley,  
Eugene A. Crockett, Mary J. Scott,  
Annie A. Early, Robert S. Shedd,  
Edith A. Ellis, Henrietta F. Greenwood,  
Adaline E. Frost, Frederic S. Hollis,  
Caroline Goodyear, George A. Holmes,  
Fannie L. Stowell,  
Elizabeth F. Taaffe.

THREE YEARS' COURSE.  
Charles B. Brown, George M. Lepper,

Carl H. Banker,  
Francis E. Burns,  
Lillian P. Coffin,  
Lizzie E. Davis,  
Lucy W. Davis,  
Julia A. Hennessy,  
Florence J. Hildreth,  
Arthur H. Woland,  
Frank C. Hyde,  
Eliza MacAdams,  
Edith R. McDonald,  
John McGrath,  
Maria M. Maynard,  
William F. O'Connor,  
Nellie A. Sears,  
Frank E. Smith,  
Henry I. Walter,  
Maurice H. Wildes.

## HISTORY OF THE CLASS OF '87.

BY MARIANA W. BLOOD, CLASS HISTORIAN.

Once more, dear friends, you listen to a class history—so much like other class histories, yet so different, in that it is the history of our class, the class of '87 of the Newton High School.

We came one morning in September, four years ago, one hundred and twenty-five of us, and where we ever found room, or where the teachers ever found room for us, has since remained a mystery. Probably on the principle of the omnibus there is always room for one more. We had heard too often of the hardships of the first day at the High School to go there expecting bliss, but we concealed under smiling visages any trepidation we might have had. However, when the cruel members of the other classes peeped in at us from the doors, and we knew they were making disagreeable remarks about us, it was a little hard to retain these smiles. But other days came fast upon us, and we were soon deep in the mysteries of Latin, Algebra and French, while to some of us the awful skeleton was displayed, and to others Roman History opened its arms.

How grand we felt always to be addressed with a "Miss" on our names. (I am speaking of girls now. We really did pity the boys, because they were spoken to so bluntly.) We enjoyed telling our small sisters school-stories, just to show how fine that "Miss" did sound.

We gradually came to know one another, and felt quite well acquainted after a few collisions at the doors of rooms 4 and 5. There is something peculiar about those doors, for they certainly have been the cause of more collisions than all the others in the building.

We often noticed, even then, that when a certain member of our class didn't know his lesson very well, his spectacles broke. This is a strange and interesting fact.

The boys drill was a source of great pleasure, to us girls, at least, especially on rainy days. For then we could not only see, but hear. The drum rolling, not in the distance but a few feet away, and the stern voices of the officers resounding through the halls, were very conducive to study. The hall was filled with boys, and it was a fearful ordeal for a girl to pass those rows of bayonets. We have no doubt that these same inspirers of fear would themselves have been terrified had they seen us wailing the dumbells.

Before we realized it, the year was gone. When we came together again in September, we were appalled by the dreadful news that we were to be separated, separated not by a board partition, but by a whole flight of stairs. It was dreadful to bear, and we felt it all the more as we were the first class that had had publicly to yield to the long continued pressure for lack of room. It took all our courage to endure it. Our only consolation was the one hour a week when we were together, declamation hour, and we did our best to make this pleasant.

Many of us began Greek this year, and that we made a success of it may be seen by the records still kept of the examinations, in which, a thing unrecorded, the coveted mark of one hundred was more than once obtained. To our teacher in this study we give our warmest thanks, for no matter how badly we blundered, or how often we forgot, he was always the same kind, patient teacher.

Cesar too was taken up, and when we had built his bridge, we thought it strange that so wonderful a piece of architecture could have been destroyed.

In an English recitation one day we were discussing the expression "Shall Brutus bootless kneel?" After several had failed to explain it correctly, the teacher turned expectantly to the one who always knew his lesson, and was informed that it meant "Without his boots."

As the world began to grow green in the spring, some of us began to study "How Plants Grow Gray." Those who did not lost much pleasure.

Toward the end of the year the prize drill interested us, because we thought it might be that one of our classmates should be victorious. Our highest hopes were fulfilled when both prizes were won by boys of '87, and we came home with radiant faces, proud of our two victories. The drill had its amusing as well as its glorious points. We understand that the white cotton gloves were all of one size, for hands big or little, and we well remember the fit of those gloves.

Several valuable members left us at the end of that year. Two from our class entered the Institute of Technology, and we were proud that they could do this on two years of preparation only.

After our summer rest we met again in September, this time as second class. It seemed as if we had stepped up a mile or so. But to our grief we did not occupy the second class room, and so missed the pleasure of being a year in the room of our dear Latin teacher. How much we lost by not being under her kind eye, we cannot tell. But we made the most of our Vergil recitations, and were so much affected by the story, that when poor Dido killed herself, the boys came to class with black neckties. I am afraid that sometimes we were a bit troublesome, but we hope our kind friend has forgotten that. Even the boy who delighted in asking the most questions is, I am sure, sorry if he ever annoyed her. If he did annoy her she never showed it. We cannot express enough our appreciation for her carefulness and patience.

The calisthenic prize drill came off early in this year, and we were proud that it was a member of our class who won the first prize. This drill served not only to awaken our interest in calisthenics, but to arouse our sleeping faculties in respect to our studies. Perhaps this is due to the fact that we caught some of the inspiration of our earnest and helpful teacher. The interest begun then has continued to the present date, and we are sure our teachers agree with us when we say that military drill and calisthenics have helped many in their studies.

In the middle of the year we were grieved by the loss of our class president. Though we knew he obeyed the call of duty, we could not be so brave about letting him go

as he was about going. We have much missed his pleasant face.

We chose our business manager for the Review and have had no cause to regret our choice. We considered deeply how we should refresh the first class when they graduated, and were fully repaid by the compliment they paid us in the Review, for the ice cream and cake we furnished. In fact, we were very fond of '86, and lost many good friends from our school life when leafy June called them to say good by to us. Too many, we thought, of our own class went with them. Though they moved from our path, they did not from our thoughts.

He whom we had been wont to call our best declaimer left us. We hope he has been successful in the paths of business on which he has entered.

Another one left the school in order to finish his college preparation elsewhere. We hope he has found there friends as appreciative as those he still has here.

Another rest—yet during the summer weeks we were united more closely by many pleasant hours together.

Last September we found ourselves first class. There was no '86 to look up to, but there were '88, '89 and '90 to look up to us. We could appreciate now what it was to have to share our room—our first-class room. But we remembered our trials when we were second class, and treated '88 with forbearance. We were daily reminded by the sound of the hammer and the saw of the "good time coming"—but alas! not for us. Next year, O class of '88, you may have a room of your own. But you will doubtless be a better first class on account of the discipline you have had as second. A second class usually exalts in spirits, and it is well to have them curbed a bit.

We chose our class motto early in the year. "For et fidelis nil diffidit." There was an objection to it at first as being too specific, since it reads: "To a brave and faithful man nothing is difficult." It was suggested that we change it to the plural. In this dilemma it was characteristically remarked by one young man, that as far as the form went, it might be read "To a brave and faithful man or woman nothing is difficult." Our motto remained as it was.

There have flourished in our class several clubs, which have had many pleasant meetings this year. The parties which have been so successful have made us better acquainted. We can only regret that they should have occasioned unkindly criticism.

Our lyceum has prospered, and when we have seen "our boys" so much in earnest, and arousing so much enthusiasm among their listeners, we can but think of the future, when we shall see them doing nobly on larger platforms and broader subjects.

A new enterprise was started this year—a school chorus. Those who listened to the concert given in May, need no other proof of the success of this organization.

It has been a source of regret that we have not been privileged to study English this year. So many have been the appreciative remarks in regard to the teacher of these classes, that we can join those favored by her teaching in extending to her our deep and heartfelt thanks.

Our French teacher, too, we would remember. We realize we have often been very trying to her, but she has been so forbearing and kind that we cannot forget it.

The High School Review has increased in circulation and effectiveness, and when we congratulate its editors we are only expressing the sentiment of many outside our class.

Much to our regret the vice-president of our class left us about the middle of the year, and our worthy president has been obliged to fulfill the arduous duties unassisted, but we have found him fully competent to carry the burden alone.

There is one member of our class to whom we are especially grateful for her earnest participation in calisthenics, the chorus, the lyceum, music and all class matters. What should we have done without her?

To our beloved principal what shall we say? That we have enjoyed being under his care would be a small way to express our appreciation of having him as our guide. We were pleased one day to see him look in a dictionary. That he to whom we went for information of any subject whatsoever, and from whom we always found what we wanted to know—that he should look in a dictionary was gratifying indeed. As for his thoughtfulness and patience, his kindness and his care, if I had an orator's skill, I could not tell it all. We cannot always express our deepest feelings by words—this we can say—our master takes with him the hearts of his pupils.

And has the time come when we must part? The time to which we have been looking forward so long, with half of pleasure, half of pain?

With the school where we have passed so many pleasant hours we leave our earnest hopes for a prosperous future, and as each class advances one step higher we would congratulate them, and assure them that our wishes toward them are of the kindest nature. '88, our hearts go out to you. It is you who will fill our places. Tell to with you our best wishes.

And dear classmates, as we look into one another's faces to-day, not knowing when we shall meet again, we might just as well look on the bright side of things. These memories, "too tender, too sacred for tears," will serve to keep us closer together. Many of us expect to go to higher institutions of learning. Let us thank God for our widening opportunities. Many of us will be fulfilling "the trivial task, the common round." But wherever we are, whatever we do, let us live remembering our motto: "To one brave and faithful, nothing is difficult." Let us be noble men and women, strong and just, brave and faithful, broadening our lives and reaching daily up higher. Heaven itself is won by the brave and faithful alone.

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## THE NEW HEAD MASTER.

The school board's hasty action in electing Mr. Goodwin is rather unfavorably criticized on, on the ground that the members could hardly have had time to give the case the serious consideration that its importance demanded. To settle such a question in a week is rather unprecedented, and it is to be hoped that the board had some more reliable information to guide it than the rather too enthusiastic eulogy delivered by one of its members, whose interest in High Schools has not been shown by frequent visits to our own school.

The school board may have the utmost confidence in the people of Newton, but they should do what they can to enable the people to have confidence in them. The report of the committee who were sent to visit the Nashua school ought to have been made public, and some testimony presented to give a reasonable excuse for the haste of the board. They have acted as if Mr. Goodwin was the only teacher available who was fitted for the position, but in spite of this, it is to be hoped that the committee has made a wise choice, and that the prosperity and excellence of the school will not be interrupted.

Mr. Goodwin is not to blame for any of this unfortunate business, and he should have the heartiest cooperation of the board, the superintendent and the teachers, to enable him to fill the difficult position in which he has been placed. His experience has been confined to comparatively small schools, in what are practically country towns, and he can not be expected to get along without some mistakes at first. For his sake, as well as for his own, the board should discourage any petty tale-bearing or fault-finding, and see that he has the hearty loyalty of the under teachers and other officials. Let them profit by past mistakes and treat the new comer as a man worthy of confidence and a gentleman, until the contrary is proved.

The generosity of the board in increasing the salary was probably due to the recognition of the fact that Mr. Goodwin will be placed in an exceptionally trying position, rather than to any idea that the office is worth more now than it has been for the past few years. For such a salary they ought to have secured a man of first class ability and qualifications, and all friends of the school hope that Mr. Goodwin will prove such.

The board has made such a point of having a teacher who would have the unanimous support of the High School committee, that we hope they took pains to ascertain whether Mr. Goodwin had the unanimous support of the Nashua board. A letter from one of its members to a friend in Newton places that question in some doubt, but possibly the members of our school board have found out by this time that it is useless to expect perfect harmony, as there are some people on school boards as well as elsewhere who naturally take the side of the opposition. Possibly in Mr. Goodwin's case the opposition had as little reason for their action as some of our school board had in the case of Mr. Cutler. That is the charitable view to take of it.

One member of the school board, who thought that the excitement over the action of the board in regard to Mr. Cutler had all died out, had rather a funny experience at the graduating exercises. On leaving the hall he happened to be in a crowd of pupils in the school, and they were talking in a very emphatic way of the action of the board. Only one of the ladies knew the gentleman by sight, and she did not notice him until he had heard some very plain speaking in regard to himself and some of the other members. He is said to have gained considerable light upon the feelings of the people, as his identity was not discovered until the outer door was reached, which gave him a chance to escape.

The interesting serial which has been running in the GRAPHIC since last September, entitled "The City Government," will be discontinued until next September. Circumstances over which we have no control have temporarily interfered with its publication. It has been read with much interest, and some parts of it, notably the chapter on Electric Lights, were of a thrilling nature. It is unfortunate that it breaks off just as the principal characters are engaged in a struggle with the street cars, as most people are curious to know what the result will be. Judging from the good luck which always attends Newtonville men, it is safe to predict that the street cars will win in the end.

The High School exercises were of unusual interest this year, and a school which can send out such a class, and furnish graduation exercises of such a high order, is certainly a credit to the city.

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## Reception to Mr. Cutler.

The reception to Mr. E. H. Cutler, late Head Master of the Newton High School, drew a very large crowd to Armory Hall, Tuesday evening. The pupils of the High School acted as a reception committee and escorted the guests to the centre of the hall, where they were greeted by Mr. Cutler. It is estimated that at least 1,000 people were present during the evening, and Mr. Cutler had a very hearty greeting from all of them, and expressions of regret that Newton is to lose so able and excellent a teacher, and so worthy a man, were heard on all sides. Among the many prominent people present were Rev. H. G. Spaulding and wife, Rev. H. J. Patrick, Rev. Dr. Calkins, Rev. Dr. Shinn and wife, George Linder and wife, George S. Bullens and Miss Bullens, A. D. S. Bell and wife, Wm. E. Sheldon, Theodore Nickerson and wife, T. D. Adams, J. B. Chase and wife, S. A. D. Sheppard, Mrs. Geo. S. Harwood and Miss Barnard, Miss A. M. Beecher, M. D. A. R. Mitchell and wife, Mrs. C. S. Holbrook, Mrs. T. B. Hitchcock, J. S. Potter and wife, Col. L. F. Kingsbury and daughter, Prof. J. B. Taylor, principal of Berkeley School, Boston, Dr. F. E. Crockett and wife, H. C. Hayden and wife, Mrs. O. D. Homer, W. H. Stewart, H. C. Harden and wife, Councilman Tyler, Mr. E. De Meritte, Mrs. Fisher Ames, B. A. Gay and wife, Rev. T. J. Holmes, S. Welles Holmes, Dr. Scales and wife, John W. Carter, Alderman Nickerson and wife, Marshall O. Rice and a large number of young people who have graduated at the school during Mr. Cutler's term at the school. Carter's orchestra of Boston furnished music during the evening.

A pleasant feature of the closing exercises at the school on Monday, was the presentation of a handsome gold watch to Mr. Cutler by the pupils of the graduating class.

A LETTER FROM REV. A. E. LAWRENCE.  
The following correspondence explains itself:

BOSTON, Mass., June 30, 1887.

Dear Sir:—Among the many regrets received by the committee in charge of the complimentary reception tendered to Mr. Cutler, the one I enclose is such a handsome tribute to our friend that I feel compelled to take the liberty of asking you if you can spare the space to publish the same, as I know that a good word from such a source will be very gratifying to the many friends of the late master of the Newton High School. Yours very truly,

A. D. S. BELL.

NEWTON CENTRE, Mass., June 27, 1887.  
My Dear Mr. Bell:—I deeply regret that I cannot be with you on Tuesday evening to participate in the reception to be given to our friend Mr. Cutler. An engagement previously made takes me from the city, and I cannot return until Friday next. But you know beforehand how heartily I would join with you in any expression of regard for the gentleman who has won our esteem and confidence by the work he has done for the city of Newton, by the character he has revealed in private and social life, and by the wisdom and forbearance he has shown when under trial. He leaves us now, after his years of service here, but he carries with him the hearts of Newton. There are defeats that are greater than victories. Mr. Cutler has been rejected but he has not been degraded. Newton—the larger Newton—has expressed her judgment in no ambiguous tones; and this, together with the nearly unanimous voice of Mr. Cutler's pupils, seconded by the public press of our city, is a testimony to his worth of which any man might justly be proud. Official action, mistaken or prejudiced, may not be forgotten; but it can never disturb the memory of the joy of such a tribute as Mr. Cutler has in consequence received. I am happy in the thought that I may unite with so many others in paying tribute to a spirit at once so gentle and manly, and in bidding Goodspeed to our cherished friend, E. H. Cutler.

I am very sincerely yours,  
(Signed,) AMOS E. LAWRENCE.

## Bigelow School.

The graduating exercises of Bigelow School were held Monday p. m. The old hall had been quite transformed by its floral decorations, and reflected much credit upon the taste and skill of the graduating class. The exercises were brief and simple, but very creditable. Several recitations in physiology, illustrated by chart, were given by different boys and girls in an intelligent manner, but the question at once suggests itself, has physiology become the "Chief end of man" in the ninth class, that there were no recitations in history or arithmetic interspersed, as in former years? There was, to say the least, a sameness and monotony about the recitations, which even the bright new chart couldn't atone for. The music was under the direction of Special Instructor Walton, and is said by many to have been the best ever heard at the Bigelow School. At the close of the exercises by the school, Mr. Walton and his brother, who had kindly acted as accompanist for the school, sang a duet "Italia," which elicited hearty and long continued applause. Master Willie Ellison executed a very fine violin solo, and the readings and declamations were well rendered, those deserving special mention being the declamations of Holmes and Howard Whitmore, and the composition upon the "Indians" by Abbie Weston. Diplomas were presented to the graduates by Rev. Dr. Shinn, whose earnest and helpful words will long prove an inspiration to all who heard them. He paid a beautiful and well-deserved tribute to Miss Lentell, who has left the school.

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At Newton, June 25, George Cutler, aged 56 years.  
At Newton Centre, June 25, Isaac A. Sylvester, aged 53 years.

## MARRIED.

At Malden, June 24, by Rev. J. W. Wellman, Clarence A. Brodeur of Penacook, N. H., and Mary C. Latta of Newton.  
At Newton Highlands, June 22, by Rev. Carleton P. Mills, Joseph Dawson and Eliza Brown, both of Newton.  
At Newtonville, June 20, by Rev. Geo. S. Butters, Charles G. Greeley of Boston, and Helen L. Cann of Winchester.  
At Newtonville, June 23, by Rev. Pleasant Hunter, Jr., Elias B. Jones and Belle Blodgett, both of Newton.  
At West Newton, June 22, by Rev. L. J. O'Toole, John J. Gammon and Annie L. McDonald, both of Newton.  
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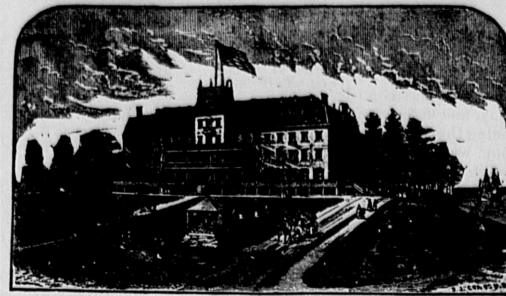
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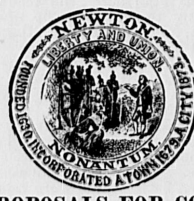
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## NEWTONVILLE.

—Miss Nellie Sherman has come home for the vacation.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Greenwood have a little son two weeks old.

—Miss Beecher and Mrs. Shedd have returned from Ocean Spray.

—Mrs. N. B. Buxton has gone to Portland, Me., for a short stay.

—Mr. and Mrs. Elias B. Jones have returned from their bridal trip.

—Miss Jeannette Grant has gone to Brandt Rock for a few weeks.

—Mr. J. Torrey Sweet is very ill, and his condition creates serious anxiety.

—Miss Marcia E. Bachelder is to be Mrs. Sherwood's successor in the post office.

—Misses Elsie and Fannie Brainard have returned to their home in Portland, Conn.

—Mr. and Mrs. Austin Sherman have gone to Bass Rocks for a couple of weeks.

—Mr. Henry J. Preston and family are spending the summer at North Falmouth, Mass.

—Sergeant Davis has been in New York this week on a short vacation from police duties.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Kimball will spend Sunday and the Fourth at the Ocean House, Newport.

—Mrs. J. B. Turner and Miss Bond are spending a few days in the western part of the state.

—Rev. John Worcester and family have gone to their cottage at Intervale, N. H., for the season.

—Rev. Mr. Lee of Charlestown, Mass., preached in the Universalist church last Sunday morning.

—Mrs. S. A. Pope and family sailed Thursday for Europe, where they will remain for two or three years.

—Mr. William Hollings and family have gone to Quincy, Mass., where they will remain throughout the summer.

—Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Pleasant Hunter have been making a brief visit in Palmer, Mass., where they formerly lived.

—Mr. J. W. Dickinson will spend a month at Chautauqua, this summer, after taking an excursion through the west.

—School teachers and scholars are equally happy in contemplation of the spacious days that are theirs for rest and recreation.

—Mrs. Robert Bridgman has been able to sit out of doors frequently, during this beautiful weather. She is gaining slowly but surely.

—Miss Mabel Davis is visiting for a couple of weeks in Philadelphia, after which she will return to her home in Providence.

—Mr. and Mrs. William P. Gould gave a very pleasant reception at their home on Highland avenue, Monday afternoon, from 5 to 7 o'clock.

—The members of the Universalist Society went in a goodly number to Downer's Landing on Thursday, for their annual picnic, and in spite of the intense heat, had a jolly time.

—The Congregational Sunday School had their picnic last Saturday. A large number went, and fully enjoyed the unlimited resources of Lily Point Grove; the day was a most delightful one, as regards weather.

—Postmaster Turner is to be congratulated upon the raise in his salary. The receipts of the post office have been nearly double what they were during the last year of the former postmaster's administration.

—Fifteen dollars has been contributed by each of the four classes of the Newton High School for the purpose of procuring a crayon portrait of Mr. E. H. Cutler, the late head master, to be hung in the school building.

—The young people of this village have improved the moonlight nights of June, by going frequently on to the Charles River, where with the aid of an occasional banjo, and the songs of the many, the evenings have passed most delightfully.

—The "Newton Ideals" are the champions of Eastern Massachusetts for 17 years of age, for this and last year. They have beaten all the clubs of 17 years of age, and will dispute the title with any club, by addressing Arthur Martell, Newtonville.

—The alarm from box 25 on Monday night at 11.30, was for a fire in some refuse wood on Crafts street. Two steamers, three horse carriages and the truck company were called out, all for some one's malicious mischief. There was no damage worth speaking of.

—Mr. George Breeden has written and published a march, known as the "Garden City Knight Templars Grand March." It is a bright melodious composition, full of spirit and vigor, and our fellow-townsmen merits most honorable mention. It is dedicated to the Gethsemane Commandery, and will doubtless become popular.

—Preparations are being made for quite an elaborate display of fireworks by the residents of Court street. The lawn of Mr. F. C. Perry is the spot selected for the carrying out of the project. The street will be decorated the whole length with Chinese lanterns, so that in the evening it will present quite a festive appearance.

—Postmaster Turner's salary has been increased by an addition of \$400, the cause being the great increase in the gross receipts of the office under his administration. In 1885-6 under the former incumbent the receipts went down to \$3,417.83, and in 1886-7 they rose to \$6,201.80. The gain was made in the last three quarters of the year, as the papers showing the receipts of the office the previous year were missing when Mr. Turner took the office, so that he had no data on which to make comparisons. Judging from the figures there is no boycott on the office at present.

—Miss Lillian L. Lancy, daughter of Mr. Dustin Lancy, was married to Mr. Alonzo P. Curtis at the Methodist church, Thursday evening, Rev. R. A. White, assisted by Rev. Mr. Butters, officiating. The church was handsomely decorated with flowers, and was filled with relatives and friends of the contracting parties. The ushers were Messrs. Walter C. Lawrence, Charles Estey, Harry Estey, George Bridges and Charles Soden. After the ceremony a reception was held at the residence of the bride's father, on Washington street. The company numbered about 100 persons, and included many prominent and well known residents of the city. The presents were numerous and elegant. A diamond pin, ring and earrings were presented by the groom. Mr. and Mrs. Curtis will reside on Washington street, Newtonville.

## WEST NEWTON.

—Miss Florence M. Merriam is at Nantucket.

—Stephen Childs has gone to Old Orchard Beach.

—Mr. Clinton L. Eddy has arrived home from Williamstown, Mass.

—Mr. S. N. Waters and family have gone to Sutton for the summer.

—Mr. G. H. Ingraham and family are at Rindge, N. H., for the summer.

—Miss May Colligan led her class at the Grammar school this year with an average of 96 per cent.

—Captain Richardson is again on duty at the police station, having recovered from his recent illness.

—Miss Carrie Lovett gave a very pleasant progressive euchre party at her residence on Mt. Vernon street, Wednesday evening.

—Mrs. William F. Lawrence and her daughter of West Newton, were the guests of Mrs. Bradbury at the "Hermitage," Ipswich, last week.

—Mr. E. W. Wood received prizes for exhibits of the Cumberland, Pioneer and Miner's Prolific varieties, at the recent strawberry show in Boston.

—Mrs. J. W. Drinkwater of Kansas City, formerly Miss Amy Gates, is here visiting friends. Her father, Mr. G. B. Gates, has just returned from his trip to Europe.

—At the meeting of Newton Lodge No. 92, I. O. O. F., Wednesday evening, 115 candidates took the 1st and 2d degrees, under the direction of the Natick lodge.

—Mr. C. H. Hayes of the firm of Lorenzo Burke, Hayes & Co., Boston, has purchased the handsome Stewart estate on Highland street, and will take possession at once.

—Commander-in-Chief Dr. Albert Nott sat at the head of a very jolly crowd at the United States Hotel in Boston Saturday night, when he presided over the St. John's day banquet of Cerneau Consistory No. 5, Scottish rite.

—City Marshal Hammond entertained on Wednesday the chiefs of police of Waltham, Lowell, Cambridge and Somerville. Such a solid body of men attracted considerable attention as they were shown about the city.

—William Pettigrew is building Mr. Frank Wise's house on Prince street, and he is also building a house for Mr. George W. Marsh on Washington street. Mr. Pettigrew has nearly completed Mr. Wilson's handsome new house on Otis street.

—Last week the Myrtle Baptist church had a very pleasant entertainment to raise money for their organ, consisting of stereoscopic views of the Holy Land, after which cake and ice cream were for sale. The net proceeds were \$25. A very pleasant time was enjoyed by all.

—While Mr. James T. Allen was making a call at the house of Mr. Moses Crane last Saturday evening, his horse started for home without him. The horse was stopped by two men, and at about two o'clock was safely lodged in Harrington's stable, Newtonville, where Mr. Allen recovered him the next day.

—The graduates of the Newton High School from West Newton for this year in the four years' course are: Emma L. Nickerson, Mary F. Homer, Marion E. Marsh, Elizabeth F. Taafé and Eugene A. Crockett; in the three years' course: Esther R. MacDonald, Arthur Howland, Henry I. Waite, John J. McGrath.

—Miss Gertrude Crane of Newton Centre and Miss Hattie Anthony, daughter of Professor Anthony of Cornell, both pupils of the West Newton English and Classical School, in passing the entrance examinations to Cornell University, succeeded in obtaining between them three credits and four honors.

—Mr. E. E. Allen, who graduated at Harvard in '84, will have the charge of the upper English and classical department in the Allen School next year. For the past two years he has been instructor of natural science and the ancient and modern languages in the Royal Normal College for the Blind in London, England. He is a son of Mr. James T. Allen.

—Last Wednesday night the Newton City Band entertained our citizens with a concert on Lincoln Park from 8 to 10 p. m. The music was as welcome as it was unexpected, and although the concert was not advertised, a large audience was speedily brought together. It is to be hoped that some arrangements may be made whereby this band may give the people of this ward regular concerts during the summer.

—Mr. Nathaniel T. Lane of West Newton and Miss Lulu A. Seaverns, daughter of Mr. Manly Seaverns of Weston were married Thursday evening by Rev. Mr. Wells at the residence of the bride's parents. There was a large company present, and a reception was held immediately after the ceremony. The young couple were the recipients of many useful and beautiful presents. After a brief wedding tour they will return to West Newton to live.

—Last Saturday witnessed a pleasant gathering at Mr. Nathaniel T. Allen's residence, in honor of the 94th birthday of his mother, Mrs. L. L. Allen. She was born in Scituate, Mass., and has led an active, busy life. She commenced to teach 77 years ago. All of her children, five sons and two daughters, were present at the anniversary, together with grand-children and relatives to the number of 40. There has been no death among her children for 56 years, a truly remarkable record. In her husband's family, however, there has been no death for 77 1/2 years. Two of her husband's brothers and a sister were present at the gathering. None of her relatives have scattered much, but have remained in Massachusetts. In the evening one of Mrs. Allen's neighbors, Mr. H. H. Tilton, made an elaborate display of fireworks in her honor, thus fittingly closing the day.

## AUBURDALE.

—Dr. H. P. Bellows is absent attending the medical convention at Saratoga Springs.

—Mr. Geo. R. Coffin and family have gone to Boar's Head, Hampton Beach, for the summer.

—Mr. L. M. Norton is making extensive alterations and improvements at his house on Hancock street.

—H. H. Haskell, Louis Pulsifer and C. B. Ashenden, have gone to the Maine Woods for a month.

—The last praise meeting of the season was held in the Methodist church, Sunday evening. A large audience was present,

and a very attractive program was presented by the choir. It is hoped that these services which have been so delightful the past winter will be renewed in the fall.

—Rev. H. N. Barnum and family, recently returned from the mission fields of Turkey, are at the Missionary Home.

—Mr. Eugene B. Baker of Port Antonio, Jamaica, W. I., is at home for a few weeks visit; his many friends gladly welcome him.

—Hon. Henry W. Robinson and family of Brockton, are occupying Mr. Blackstone's house on Lexington street for the summer.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Robinson are at the Lincoln House, Hingham, Mass., for the summer, and Miss Emma Warren at Stowe, Mass.

—Rev. Mr. Metcalf will sail for Europe during the latter part of this month. His place will be supplied during a two months' absence by Rev. Mr. Tolbert.

—The street department has lowered the grade of the hill on Hancock street, and the improvement is appreciated by people who drive through the street.

—Capt. Baker, who was taken so dangerously ill on his last voyage home, is gaining slowly, and hopes are entertained of his recovery; he will be brought home as soon as he is able to be moved.

—At the Church of the Messiah occurred a very pretty wedding Thursday, June 30th, at twelve o'clock, the parties being Mr. Charles L. Markham and Mrs. Mary H. Bird. Rev. H. A. Metcalf performed the ceremony in the presence of many friends of both parties. After the ceremony they immediately left for a short wedding trip, and on their return will reside on Walcott street.

—Mrs. Wm. E. Plummer gave a musicale reception in honor of her guest, Miss Holman Worcester, to about eighty of her friends last Saturday evening, which was the most brilliant affair of its kind given this season. The guests had a rich treat in being entertained by Mr. C. N. Allen, violinist; Mrs. E. Humphrey Allen, soprano; Miss Gertrude Edmonds, contralto, with Miss Nellie Plummer as accompanist. Refreshments were served after the musical program, and all present enjoyed a remarkably pleasant evening.

—A goodly number of parents attended the closing exercises of the schools Monday morning, and were gratified to see the progress made by the pupils during the year; in the lower rooms the exercises were mostly of the regular work of the school. The sewing which has been accomplished during the year was on exhibition, and much of it would have done credit to more experienced seamstresses. In the highest room, the pupils gave recitations and songs in a very creditable manner, and remarks were made by Rev. Mr. Dike, Rev. Mr. Cutler and others, and Mr. Ames of the school committee presented the diplomas to the graduating class. Mr. Godfrey was the recipient of a complete set of Ruskin's works from the ninth class.

## The Grammar Schools.

Following is the list of pupils who have completed the course in the various Grammar Schools of the city, most of whom will enter the High School next fall.

**MASON SCHOOL.**  
Joseph T. Bishop  
Sumner Clement  
Nellie M. Callahan  
Edward H. Fennessy  
Charles W. Howard  
Hugh Jameson  
Fannie I. Leonard  
Sarah J. Marshall  
Alice H. Sylvester  
Elizabeth L. Seagull  
Edith E. Williams  
James C. Walworth

**HYDE SCHOOL.**  
Charles H. Moulton  
Mary A. Heckman  
Eva M. Denison  
Helen O. Hartwick  
Edwin B. Crane  
Annie F. Sullivan  
Fred R. Galacer  
Louise M. Cottle  
Elizabeth B. Treadwell

**HIGGINS SCHOOL.**  
George D. Allen  
Josephine H. Arnold  
F. Ernest Blodgett  
Florence Butterfield  
Carrie I. Coppin  
William Elison  
Kenneth W. Hardon  
Annie Hudson  
James A. Irvin  
Annie M. Leffer  
Louis F. Lyon  
Alice N. Snow  
Lucy M. A. Stiles  
Mary Thomas  
Miriam H. Woodbridge  
Mary O. Warren  
Holmes Whitmore  
Malda E. Whitney

**PIERCE SCHOOL.**  
Lillian Bosworth  
Matilda G. Casmay  
Lillie Dolan  
Josephine E. Ghand  
Mary Veronika Healy  
Harriet M. Norton  
Bertha L. Randall  
Grace E. Trottier  
Nathaniel L. Allen  
William M. Costello  
John J. Devoy  
Thomas J. Green  
Frank L. Howarth  
Everett Johnson  
Nellie E. Plag  
Thomas L. Lyon  
George Winslow Puffer  
Edward F. Saltmarsh  
Richard E. Welch

**ADAMS SCHOOL.**  
Blanche Wadleigh  
Milla H. Thompson  
Nellie R. Nickerson  
Alice L. Lill  
Mary F. Miller  
Maggie C. Walsh  
Edward Page, Jr.  
Francis E. Shagnessy  
M. S. Williams  
Joseph Holmes  
A. Hurt Cook  
Ernest C. Fisher

**CLAFIN SCHOOL.**  
Edward Allen Greene  
Fitzhugh S. Rollins, Jr.  
Emily A. Whitson

**WILLIAMS SCHOOL.**  
Horace M. Bunker  
Alice A. DeLacey  
Frances E. Hildreth  
Charles M. Morse  
Mary R. Roberts  
Florence M. Stewart  
Liz R. Wright  
Gertrude M. Young

**PROSPECT SCHOOL.**  
C. Frank Osborne  
Horace E. Noyes  
Robert Seaver  
Willie Hurd  
Agnes J. Hogan  
Margaret A. Sullivan  
Nellie E. Plag  
Margaret E. Horrigan  
Elizabeth D. Kempton

**Editor of the Graphic:**  
Now we are nearing the horrors which cause so many to dread the night before "the glorious fourth" of July, may I be permitted through your columns to beg of parents to forbid their children from participating in making that night or the fol-

lowing dawn hideous, by the firing of crackers or fire arms, or the blowing of horns, etc.

I do not, myself, see how any thoughtful parent can allow his children to so disturb his neighbors' rest.

After six o'clock in the morning there is plenty of time in which to make all the noise we should be expected to endure.

Besides, there are always in every neighborhood, many to whom, like myself, a night's quiet rest is essential to their well being, to say nothing of those in feeble health or illness, whose lives are doubtless jeopardized by the dreadful noises which commonly usher in a 4th of July.

Surely, there must be some amongst your readers to whom I am not appealing in vain when I ask them to use their authority to prevent their children from turning earth into pandemonium, or robbing others of their due share of "nature's sweet rest."

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**High School Lyceum.**

The High School Lyceum held its last meeting of the season at the school building on Saturday evening, June 25th. President Crockett called the meeting to order at 7.45. In the absence of the Secretary, Ernest Markham, '88, was elected to that office pro tempore. The records of the last meeting were read and approved. The president then gave notice of the reception to Mr. Cutler on Tuesday evening; of the High School Review for 1887-88, and of the specially appointed sergeant at arms.

The first part of the musical program was as follows: '88 Orchestra, 'Ive \$15 in my inside pocket'; Song, Miss Newell '89; Piano Solo, Miss M. Fuller '90; Vocal duet, Misses Chase and Caldwell '87.

The debate which followed was impromptu, and was carried on under the rules formerly used by the Lyceum.

The resolution was that in public schools Classical studies are better than modern.

J. F. Morton, '88, spoke in the affirmative. He contradicted the statement that the ancient languages are of no value. The value of the works written in ancient tongues, and their depth and beauty necessitate their study. Modern tongues whenever they are studied never receive any special depth of thought.

H. M. Chase '87, said that the public schools are for the masses. Students at public schools generally prepare for business pursuits and a knowledge of the modern languages is very valuable. The debate continued. T. G. Adams '87; John Cutler '86; R. S. Woodworth '87, taking part. The resolution was lost. The second part of the musical program was then presented. It was: Piano duet, Misses Ballou '87; Coflin '88; Flute solo, Severance Burage '88; '88 Orchestra, Aurora Overture.

President Crockett then spoke to the Lyceum. He said he was glad to be able to say that the attendance of this year had been greater than that of last. The excellent musical programs were the work of a very efficient musical committee. The Clerk and Sergeant at Arms had both assisted largely in the success of the meetings.

Mr. Cutler had been very kind and even with personal inconvenience had permitted the society the use of the building. On a motion by J. F. Morton the society tendered a vote of thanks to the President. The meeting closed at 9.40 with the singing of "Auld Lang Syne."

**New Magazines.**

"My Country," an ode of more than eight pages, by Mr. Geo. E. Woodberry, opens the Atlantic for July. It is the longest poem which has appeared in the magazine for years, and it speaks well for its quality that the Atlantic's poet editor thought fit to give it the place of honor. Miss Louise Ingersoll Guiney, who will be remembered for her amusing sketch of Mather Byles, the Tory Parson, contributes a paper called "The Water-Works of Portsmouth," which is full of amusing anecdotes and interesting reminiscences of old Portsmouth and its creeks and river. Mrs. Abby Sage Richardson furnishes a story called "Dona Quixote," which has to do with actors and playwrights of the last century. "An Old Kentucky Home," and its inhabitants, are carefully and pleasantly described by Patty B. Semple. A thoughtful essay on "The Decay of Sentiment," by Agnes Repplier. W. A. Crafts contributes a paper called "Is the Railroad Problem Solved?" and Isabel F. Haywood, the well-known translator of Russian novels, has an essay on "Count Tolstoi and the Public Censor," which will be widely read and quoted as a deeply interesting account of this great Russian writer. Mr. Horace E. Scudder considers "The Use of American Classics in Schools," which to educators will be the most important article of all. Mr. H. C. Bunker has a little poem on Schumann's "Kinder-Scenen," and Julie K. Wetherill some verses entitled "When All is Said." Mrs. Oliphant's and Mr. Aldrich's serial is at a deeply interesting point and leaves the reader in tantalizing suspense. Mr. Crawford's excellent "Paul Patoff" is also continued. Besides these and other articles there are, as usual, reviews of recent literature, as well as the Contributors' Club and Books of the Month. Houghton, Mifflin & Co., Boston.

Gen. Sherman has written a letter to the editor of the Century, which will appear in the July number, wherein he commends the war papers, and expresses "entire satisfaction with the course of your magazine in collecting from the witnesses while living their personal testimony—every article of which I have read, in common with millions of our people." The letter was written in response to a request for an account of the Atlanta campaign, but this he said he had fully described in his memoirs, and he had nothing further to give the world on that topic. (The letter does contain, however, a number of new and interesting personal facts.) Gen. Sherman has written a paper on "The Grand Strategy of the War," which the Century will print. In the July number Gen. O. O. Howard writes on "The Struggle for Atlanta."

The Lincoln life in the July Century reaches a point of the very highest political interest, as it includes a full account of the great debate which sent Douglas to the Senate and Lincoln to the White House. In this installment will appear several hitherto unpublished letters by Lincoln, and a characteristic letter by Horace Greeley about Lincoln. In the August number an account will be given of Lincoln's Ohio speeches and his famous Cooper Institute speech; and in September will follow a description of the Baltimore convention and of the Chicago convention that nominated Lincoln, and of Lincoln's election to the presidency.

The Rev. J. O. S. Huntington ("Father Huntington"), who is devoting his life to doing the work of an apostle in the most "congested" district of New York, has an article in the Forum for July, on "Temperance House Morality."

The notable feature of the Overland Monthly for June is the illustrated article on the "Santa Clara Valley." It makes one dissatisfied with his home to read it. Mr. Leonard Kip's story, "The Pintacocot Colony," is concluded, and Miss Heaven's "China and Chinita" is well advanced. The present tendency of this magazine is to encourage the literature of the Pacific coast, and herein lies its special field. Its papers both in prose and verse are of a high order of merit, and it admirably fills a vacant niche in American letters. [The Overland Monthly, San Francisco; The Overland Monthly Company, 415 Montgomery street.]

St. Nicholas for July has a delightful patriotic flavor, appropriate to the glorious

Fourth. Even the Brownies become imbued with the prevalent enthusiasm, and celebrate the day at night, which is illustrated with three of Palmer Cox's delightful pictures. Among the long array of the best of good things for young people in this number, with a profusion of rich illustrations, we will only mention Frank R. Stockton's description of life "In English Countries," illustrated by Alfred Parsons and Harry Penn; the opening chapter of a new story by H. H. Boyesen, entitled "Fiddle-John's Family," a tale of two continents, of which the beautiful frontispiece forms the principal illustration. The department for the little people of the nursery is unusually attractive.—[The Century Co., New York.]

We have recently received the report of the seventh annual meeting of the Newton Cottage Hospital Corporation, Massachusetts, and also a copy of the Newton Graphic for March 5th. The latter contains a paragraph announcing a gift to the hospital of \$10,000 by Mrs. Elizabeth Eldridge, to be invested for the permanent benefit of the institution. A sum of \$235 had also been received since the publication of the annual report from Mr. Edward P. Call, as the proceeds of two theatrical performances in aid of the building fund of a new women's ward. From the report of the Corporation it appears that the hospital was only opened and dedicated on June 5th, 1886, the previous annual meeting having been held with a view to providing for its satisfactory establishment. Since that date thirty-nine patients have been treated, seventeen of whom were foreigners. Much gratitude is expressed in the report for the sympathy and support of the Ladies' Aid Association, which has contributed in no small degree to the success of the enterprise. The sum expended on building was \$5,358, whilst the current expenses amounted to \$1,880, and the current receipts to \$3,617, thus leaving a balance in hand of \$1,728. It will thus be seen that the Newton Cottage Hospital has made a good start, and we trust that it may long and successfully continue the work so well begun.

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**NEWTON CENTRE.**

—Mr. B. L. Arbecam has returned from his trip to Colorado.

—Mr. Chas. S. Davis in improved health has gone to Hull for a few weeks.

—Miss Elizabeth C. Estabrook has gone to her Worcester county home for the hot months.

—Mr. Francis A. Brooks and family of Boston have moved this week into their summer residence, Centre street.

—Mr. J. W. Hill has moved his coal office to the stable office of Robert Weir, off Centre street, rear of Farnham's block.

—The Hebrew Summer School opened on Tuesday on the "Hill." Distinguished students from all denominations are in attendance.

—Rev. T. J. Holmes entertained his "Children's Wednesday afternoon Bible class," at his home on Homer street on Friday afternoon.

—Rev. Dr. E. K. Chandler of Cambridge preached morning and evening on Sunday, at Associates' Hall. His discourses which were on the "Two Great Commandments," were very strong and impressive.

—Among the names of heads of departments in the catalogue of the Amherst Summer School of Languages which opens July 6th, is that of Miss Ellen U. Clark of this village, specialist in Anglo-Saxon and Early English.

—The work of painting the meeting house in the first parish was commenced on Monday. Valentine Haffnermehl, Station street, has the contract, and his name guarantees good work. The color is a warm rich brown in two shades.

—Councilman Read has graded and laid out the grounds about his Rice street house very handsomely. This house, with its fine southern exposure, will make some fortunate family a happy home.

—Our streets and common were never more neatly kept by the city than the present season. The granite curbing to be placed from Pelham to Beacon streets on Centre street, is a long needed improvement.

—Mrs. J. S. Farnum, formerly of Brookline, was the recipient of congratulations on her 70th birthday at the residence of her son-in-law, J. Edwards Rockwood, Beacon street, Thursday afternoon. Among the friends present were many from Worcester and vicinity where she resided many years ago.

—Messrs. Brooks and Gage, both of whom are students passing the summer here, have four fine row boats on Crystal Lake, which may be used by the public for small compensation. We understand that they are well patronized, and will add more boats when needed. No better exercise can be found than rowing, and the temperature about the lake is said to be several degrees cooler than on the common.

—The July Fourth celebration.—Our citizens have met the call of the committee on subscriptions liberally, and if a pleasant day is assured a good celebration may be expected. Those who have not had an opportunity to subscribe can find subscription papers at the drug stores or in the hands of the committee. Every part of the day is provided for, and a general interest seemed to be awakened. If the evening is calm a particularly fine display can be seen in the boat carnival and shore decorations around our lake.

—It is expected that the corner stone of the stone edifice for the Baptist society will be laid on Saturday, July 23, with appropriate services. At a meeting of the church on Friday evening, a committee was appointed to arrange for the occasion. It is hoped that the Hon. Seth Davis, of West Newton, the oldest living member of the church, will be able to be present. He became a member when a lad, when the society worshipped in the old meeting house on the Centre street shore of the Baptist pond.

—The close of the second quarter of the year was the occasion of a special service in the Baptist Sunday school on Sunday afternoon at Associates' Hall. After the usual service of prayer and praise Superintendent Armstrong introduced Mr. Stephen Moore, superintendent of the Newton Baptist Sunday school, who addressed the school. Mr. Moore gave a very clear and comprehensive view of the chronology of the Bible characters studied by the schools during the past six months. He illustrated this by a chart which he had himself prepared, and which is one of the best. His remarks and closing appeal received the close attention of all present, and will be long remembered. Following Messrs. Davidson and Richardson of Newtonville spoke on the work of the societies of Christian Endeavor. Their earnest words and explanation of method, and of the success of the movement were very inspiring.

—Mrs. Maria Upham Drake, Sumner street, has recently completed the delivery of the course of lectures in Lynn, which has been received with such marked favor in other cities, as is evident from the following card from the teachers of Lynn, which appeared in the Lynn Item of June 20th, and was addressed to the president of the W. C. T. U.: "We, the public school teachers of Lynn, return to you our heartfelt thanks for your great-hearted gift to us. Through your kindness in opening so wide and free an entrance to Mrs. Drake's lectures, we are better, wiser and nobler than we were. Our hearts have been fired with a loftier zeal for our chosen work. To us the Great Teacher is ever speaking; with Him and for Him we work; through these lectures the message, 'go ye also' has come to many of us with renewed significance. If the hope of the nation be in our boys and girls somebody must build up the weak and broken down places in their character walls. The lectures have given us a holier zeal, a stronger faith and a greater courage." Mrs. Drake, it is hoped, will lecture before the Newton Indian Association in the early autumn. Her address before the New England Chautauqua class of '87, recently delivered in Boston, on the "Hope of America," was so strongly endorsed and admired by the president, that Mrs. Drake has been requested to deliver the same at the Framingham Assembly at this summer's session. Mr. and Mrs. Drake, who are both members of the graduating class at Chautauqua, having completed the full four year's course of reading, will attend at Lake Chau-

taqua in July the commencement exercises.

—Miss Alice L. Sherman is spending the summer at China, Me. Her health is already much improved.

—Mr. Geo. P. Davis and family go to New Hampshire near Manchester for the summer. Mr. Brooks of Boston takes his house for the summer.

—Hon. Robert R. Bishop, wife and youngest son sailed for Europe on Thursday; E. G. Bishop will spend the summer at Fayetteville, N. Y.

—H. S. Williams and E. M. Peck are agents for the Waltham laundry. Work left at their stores will be promptly attended to. See advertisement elsewhere.

—Some one has taken a fine pair of antlers from Mr. S. H. Gooch's grounds, presumably some thoughtless boy. It is hoped they will be returned as they were much prized.

—The Fourth of July celebration here only depends on the weather for its success, as all the arrangements are complete for a very enjoyable time. The band concerts, afternoon and evening, the entertainments at Associates' Hall, and brilliant display of fireworks on Crystal Lake, will furnish attractions enough for the whole of Newton. No one will be obliged to go out of town this year in order to celebrate the Fourth.

—Captain Isaac A. Sylvester of Warren street, who has been ill for several months, died on Saturday. He has been a resident of Newton for about 10 years, and was one of the largest and best known contractors in Boston. Several years ago he had charge of a sloop that brought granite from the state of Maine to the city of Boston, and the energy he then displayed resulted in business engagements which have since been extensive and profitable to him. He was a member of the firm of Parker & Sylvester, which carried to completion a number of important enterprises, and they were engaged in large schemes, when Mr. Parker, a few months ago, died suddenly of heart disease. The partnership of Sylvester & Rowe was then formed, and one of the last jobs in which Mr. Sylvester was engaged was the building of the Boylston street bridge over the tracks of the Boston & Albany railroad, to form a connection between Boylston street and the Back Bay park. Among other large measures in which Mr. Sylvester was engaged was the Charles river embankment, completed about two years ago. During the war he was prominent in the hazardous work of carrying supplies to the Federal forces at New Orleans and elsewhere. He leaves a wife and four daughters. The funeral services were held from his late residence, Tuesday afternoon. The Rev. Theodore J. Holmes officiated, and there was a large attendance, including a delegation of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery company, of which Mr. Sylvester was a member. The remains were interred in the Newton cemetery.

**CHESTNUT HILL.**

—Mr. George C. Lee and the Misses Lee of Beacon street, Boston, are at their beautiful residence at Chestnut Hill.

—The firm of Wm. G. Bell & Co., of which Mr. A. D. S. Bell is a member, was burned out last Saturday night, but the loss was nearly covered by insurance.

—John Lowell, Jr., son of Judge Lowell, as president of the Massachusetts Poultry Association, raises nearly all kinds of nice fancy fowls, but seems to have a special weakness for Hamburgs.

—Tuesday afternoon there was a very pleasant lawn party given by Mrs. C. H. Sawyer on the beautiful grounds attached to her residence. Guests were present from all parts of Newton, Brookline and other places.

**NEWTON HIGHLANDS.**

—Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Ayer have gone to Hull for a two weeks sojourn.

—Mr. D. C. Fisher and family have returned from their visit to Worcester.

—Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Tyler will go to "Boar's Head" to remain until after July 4th.

—Mrs. Amelia Bacall has purchased the George D. Eldridge place and will occupy it as her residence.

—Mr. Henry L. Bates of Boston with his family have taken board with Mr. Whiting for the summer.

—Miss Grace Bryant has returned to the Highlands, after an absence of one year at the Bradford Academy.

—The organist at the Congregational church next Sabbath, will be Mr. Alvin W. Coombs of West Medway.

—Mr. Isaac W. Bird, the father of Mr. E. E. Bird, in Mrs. Cobb's cottage, has gone to Gloucester for the summer.

—Mr. C. P. Clark, Jr., and family will go to Broomfield, N. H., to spend a few weeks with his aunt, Mrs. Breslin.

—Mr. H. B. Hopkins and Mr. A. F. Atwood with their families, have returned from their visit of a week at Scituate.

—Mr. Chas. Ogden has returned from a two weeks' vacation in New Hampshire. His family will remain a while longer.

—Rev. G. G. Phipps has gone to Amherst to attend the commencement exercises at Amherst College. Mrs. Phipps, from South Hadley, will meet her husband at Amherst.

—Mr. Alexander Tyler has commenced the cellar for a house for his own occupancy, on a lot corner of Lincoln street and Tappan Place.

—The graduates from the High School from the Highlands were: Frank C. Hyde, W. F. O'Connor, W. E. Ryder, Grace Allen and Cora Cobb.

—The old railroad station has been taken down this week and the lumber taken to Boylston street, near the railroad bridge, to be put into use again for a carpenter's shop.

—Mr. L. A. Ross has taken the contract to remove the conglomerate rock from the new street to the railroad station. He is trying what the effect of powder may have upon it.

—The people of our village were pained to hear of the death of little Roger Merrill, youngest son of Mr. Rufus S. Merrill of Duncklee street. The family are receiving much sympathy in their affliction.

—The Eldredge estate, corner of Walnut and Forest streets, has been sold to Mrs. W. K. Bacall of Boston, who with her daughter, will immediately occupy the same. The house on the adjoining lot, to

be occupied by Mr. A. S. Denison, is now being built.

—The house now in process of erection by Mr. L. A. Ross, builder, for Miss Duncklee, on Duncklee street, has been sold to a Newton party. Mr. Ross will also build another house for Miss Duncklee on a lot of her land, next west of Mrs. Stanley's estate.

**NEWTON UPPER FALLS.**

—Mrs. Charles Morrill has gone abroad for the summer.

—This pleasant weather is attracting crowds of visitors to Echo Bridge.

—Mrs. C. E. Alger of Springfield, Mass., is visiting at Mr. J. A. Gould's.

—Mr. Charles H. Hall and family have gone to Bar Harbor for the summer.

—The need of a village watering cart is every day becoming more and more a necessity.

—Mr. Henry S. Brown and wife of Saco, Maine, are spending a few days at his father's home.

—Many from our village attended the graduation exercises at the High School on Tuesday.

—Mr. F. B. Spear announces that he will dispose of his literary business at public auction on Thursday, July 7th.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Sherman started on a European trip last week, going to New York on Monday and sailing from there on Wednesday.

—There was an interesting game of ball on Saturday afternoon of last week, between the Athens of South Boston and the Newtons of 16 to 4, resulting in favor of the latter by a score of 16 to 4.

—The Quinobequin Association enjoyed a very pleasant strawberry social on Friday evening of last week, in Old School House Hall. The association is in a very prosperous condition at present, and bids fair to continue so for some time, as there are many young men in the place who intend to join in the fall, when the association commences its winter campaign.

—Children's day was beautifully observed at the Methodist church last Sunday. Flowers and green plants in profusion added to the beauty of occasion. The pastor, Rev. Mr. Peterson, gave a very interesting and instructive talk to the children, illustrating his remarks by the use of the blackboard. In the evening there was a Sunday school concert, which was well attended and interesting.

—On Monday forenoon there was a very serious accident at the silk mills of Phipps & Train. While attending to some portion of the work, Norman Probert, a lad of about 14 years, got his leg caught in a machinery, and before he could be rescued from his perilous position, was so injured that it was necessary to convey him to the Cottage Hospital, where the injured limb was amputated. At last accounts, he was doing as well as could be expected. He has the sympathy of a large circle of friends who were very sorry to hear of his great misfortune.

**NEWTON LOWER FALLS.**

—Mr. C. H. Spring has purchased the house which he occupies on Columbia street.

—The sale in behalf of the Episcopal mission at Wellesley was quite a success. Over \$60 were taken, and the occasion enjoyed by many friends from Boston and Newton.

—Miss Burns, the organist at St. Mary's, takes a much needed vacation of two months at Digby, Nova Scotia. Mr. Fuller of Wellesley is to be organist "ad interim."

—Rev. H. A. Metcalf of Anuburdale exchanged with the rector on Sunday last. The friends of Mr. Metcalf rejoice at his much improved condition, and hope for his speedy restoration to health.

—Aid the laudable efforts of the patriotic gentlemen who have arranged for sports and races and a grand display of fireworks. The denizens of our village ought to stay at home and enjoy the day within their own borders.

—The ladies of St. Mary's will hold a strawberry festival and sale at Boyden Hall on July 4th, from 4 to 10 p. m. Strawberries and ice cream, cake, refreshments in variety, will help the community to fitly observe "the day we celebrate."

**NONANTUM.**

—There will be no picnic by the North Evangelical Sabbath school this year.

—Mr. Geo. Hale has severed his connection with the Nonantum Mills and gone home.

—The Lowery Society of Christian Endeavor held a lawn party on the grounds of Mr. George Hudson on Tuesday evening, and all enjoyed themselves. Refreshments were served, music and singing were indulged in for some time, and the young people departed for home at a late hour.

—There was a special review lesson at the North Evangelical Sabbath school, E. F. Jennison superintending. Several teachers took part, and the singing was by the church choir. In the evening Rev. F. Cooper of England preached a very good sermon from the words, "Great is the Mystery of Godliness."

**The Street Railway Hearing.**

The board of aldermen, sitting as a committee of the whole, met Thursday evening to discuss the street railway question. The company was represented by Mr. H. B. Parker and Mr. J. W. Stover, and the difference between the views of the high-way committee and those of the company were gone into at some length. City Solicitor Slocum was present and quoted from the statutes to prove that there was nothing in them to prevent the company signing an agreement. The board had a long discussion over the rails, the company preferring the lighter Richards rail of 35 pounds to the yard, and the highway committee the heavier of 52 pounds. Alderman Ward said he was heartily in favor of the street railway, and wished to put no unnecessary obstacle in the way. If a lighter rail would answer the purpose, he would favor it. Mr. Stover said that if the company were compelled to build the road on the most expensive plan, they would have to put up the price of their tickets to the outside limit, instead of making them six cents, or twenty for a dollar as they hoped to do. Alderman Pettee said he had always been in favor of having a street railroad. Alderman Hollis said that he had seen President Richards, the inventor of the rail, who had said that the lighter rail was all that was needed for Newton. Alderman Nickerson said that Engineer Hodges, who had been brought before the committee by the railroad company, had said that the heavier rail was the only one that should be used in Newton. The board finally voted to adhere to the recommendation in regard to the paving stones, the word Boston was struck out, and the provisions about the stones being of first quality retained.

The proviso about the sum to be paid to the city was struck out.

The matter will have to be advertised for 14 days, and then a formal hearing will have to be given before the board of Aldermen, before any legal action can be taken in regard to granting a location.

**MR. CUTLER'S RESPONSE**

TO THE LETTERS SENT TO HIM LAST WEEK.

The following letters were sent by Mr. Cutler in reply to those received by him last week, one of which contained a check for \$1,000, and the recipients have kindly furnished copies for publication:

NEWTON, Mass., June 21, 1887.

George Linder, Esq., Chairman:  
Dear Sir:—I should indeed be either more or less than a man if I failed to be deeply moved by the assurances of sympathy and kindly feeling that have been so generously given me by the citizens of Newton whom you represent. And now that you have overwhelmed and surprised me with your munificent gift, I can only wish that I were more deserving of the feeling which has prompted you in making it, and that the services I have been able to render as teacher had been more nearly what I would fain have made them, and more worthy of your kindly judgment and appreciation. With thanks and respects,  
Faithfully yours,  
EDWARD H. CUTLER.

(Signed)

NEWTON, Mass., June 22, 1887.

A. D. S. Bell, Esq., Treasurer:

Dear Sir:—In acknowledging the receipt of your check for \$1,000, permit me more fully than in my formal reply to Mr. Linder, to assure you and him and my other friends, old and young, known and unknown, that I understand full well how much individual liberality and how much personal expenditure of time and effort the collection of such a sum involves. It is gratifying to me in becoming the recipient of such a gift to have the advantage of your personal acquaintance, and thus to know that as gentlemen, you will appreciate the delicacy of my position in accepting a gift of this nature. I feel, however, considering the source from which it comes, and the way in which it has been presented, that I need not yield to the scruples of personal feeling, which might lead me to decline to become your beneficiary. I accept it, therefore, most gratefully, reciprocating, as thus alone I may, your kindly and generous spirit in presenting it. I am under additional obligation for your considerate regard for my feelings in sparing me all publicity in making the presentation. Regretting my inability to find words more adequate to express my thoughts, I am  
Gratefully yours,  
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Hereof fail not and make due return of this Warrant, with your doings therein, stating the number of dogs killed and the names of the owners or keepers thereof, and whether all unlicensed dogs in said city have been killed, and the names of persons against whom complaints have been made under the provisions of said chapter, and whether complaints have been made and entered against all the persons who have failed to comply with the provisions of said chapter on or before the first day of October next.

Given under my hand and seal at Newton aforesaid, the first day of July, in the year eighteen hundred and eighty-seven.

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A true copy,

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## NEWTON.

—Mrs. Emeline F. Bowler is at Cataumet for the summer.

—Mrs. Dr. Field and Eliot Field are at Hotel Pemberton, Hull.

—Mr. J. G. Litch and family are at Ashby, Mass., for the summer.

—Mr. Samuel P. May and family have gone to South Yarmouth, Mass.

—Mr. J. J. Skinner and family are spending a week in Community, N. Y.

—Mr. George Agry, Jr., and wife are stopping at the Argyle, Winthrop.

—Mrs. C. A. Cox and family are at the Humarock Hotel, Sea View, Mass.

—Mrs. H. P. Smith of Boston is at the Hotel Humarock for the summer.

—Miss M. I. Wheeler and her sister are at New London, N. H., for the summer.

—Mrs. C. A. Haskell's mother died at Magnolia, last week, of a paralytic shock.

—Mr. J. C. Ivy and wife are making a two weeks' visit to the White Mountains.

—Rev. John B. Gould and wife are at the Wesley House, Cottage City, for the summer.

—Dr. Mark Blumenthal and wife of New York are at Hotel Humarock for a few weeks.

—Mrs. D. K. Hitchcock and Miss Martha Hitchcock are at the Argyle, Winthrop Highlands.

—Rev. Charles F. Russell of Weston will preach at the Channing church next Sunday morning.

—Mr. Henry W. Wellington and family are at their summer residence at Wianco, near Osterville.

—E. F. Blake and J. H. Harwood started last Wednesday from Wayland, on a two weeks' canoe trip.

—Mrs. Henry Bartlett of Brooklyn has been the guest of her brother, Mr. Samuel Farquhar, for the past week.

—Mr. and Mrs. David W. Farquhar left last Tuesday for New York. They will visit Saratoga before returning home.

—William J. Farquhar has completed his studies at Phillips Exeter Academy, and will enter Howard College next year.

—S. Wallace Moore entertained the members of his Sunday School class at his home on Hunnewell avenue, Thursday evening.

—Ernest Heerde, upholster, has taken the store formerly occupied by John McCammon. Mr. McCammon has removed to Howe's block.

—Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Thayer and Miss Hattie Thayer leave this city to-day for Newport, where they will remain for a portion of the summer.

—Miss S. Louise Shelton is in Malden, Mass., but leaves next week for Charlotte-town, Prince Edwards Island, where she will pass the summer.

—Mr. H. J. Woods bought the J. H. Robinson estate on Channing street, which was sold at auction Tuesday by F. G. Barnes & Son, the price paid being \$5,000.

—Mr. Hudson says there is nothing like advertising in the Graphic. He put in a short local notice of his soda last week, and sold fifteen hundred glasses inside of two days.

—The members of the Iron Hall are awaiting with confidence the result of the hearing before Insurance Commissioner Merrill, in regard to the society's right to do business in this state.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Doane of Manchester, Conn., spent last Sunday and Monday here, visiting C. E. Doane. They returned home Monday night much pleased with their visit.

—The floral decorations at the residence of Mr. C. H. Graves on the occasion of the marriage of his daughter, were furnished by Mr. C. F. Rogers, Jr., of the Sargent street conservatory.

—Newton people going away for the summer can have the Graphic sent to them for 25 cents a month, three months to 50 cents, and the address will be changed as often as desired.

—Rev. Dr. Pierce entered upon his duties at the Free Public Library July 1st, and will be found at his post daily. Miss James will remain in the city a few weeks longer before going to Wilkesbarre to begin her duties there.

—At the monthly flower and fruit show of the Horticultural Society in Boston last Saturday, the contributions of Mr. Chas. N. Brackett were especially fine displays of vegetables, and he received a large number of premiums.

—It is hoped that the greatly-needed sanitary improvements at the Bigelow school house will be made soon, after plans drawn by Mr. Kenway, the architect. The building has been defective in this respect for a long time past, and the time has now come to put it in complete order.

—Grace church will be opened all summer for services at the usual hours. The Rev. Dr. Shinn expects to officiate until August, when he may take a short vacation. The attendance both morning and evening at this church is always good, and strangers speak pleasantly of the courtesy extended them in supplying seats.

—Mr. W. E. Sheldon and Mr. John W. Dickinson of this city will attend the annual meeting of the National Educational Association at Chicago, to be held from the 12th to the 15th. Mr. Dickinson is to read a paper on "The objective element of the psychological and pedagogical value of the modern methods of elementary culture." Mr. Sheldon is president of the association and is also to make an address. A special train leaves the Fitchburg depot Saturday night, and special rates are given to all attending the convention.

—Rev. W. A. Lamb has been granted a year's leave of absence by the North Evangelical church and sailed for Europe on Thursday. Rev. Mr. Lamb has been unusually successful during his pastorate, and leaves the church strong and united. He contemplated resigning at first, in order to be free for his visit to Europe, but his church would not listen to such a suggestion and voted unanimously to grant him the vacation. His place will be filled

temporarily, but all the arrangements have not yet been completed.

—Miss J. W. Littlefield will pass the summer at Blue Hill, Me.

—Mrs. C. F. Lang and family are at Deerfield, N. H., for the summer.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Cate will spend the month of July at Lawrence Cottage, Ocean Spray.

—Mr. J. B. Goodrich and family will spend the summer at Hotel Humarock, Sea View, Mass.

—J. Wallace Goodrich entertained the members of the '88 orchestra at his home last Wednesday evening.

—The rubbish in the ruins of the Eliot church has taken up the very reprehensible habit of smoking, much to the discomfort of the neighbors.

—Only six fires were reported on the Fourth, and it was more good luck and the promptness of the firemen that none of them proved serious.

—Mr. Wm. H. Brackett and family, Mr. J. Q. Henry and family and Mrs. J. A. Kenrick and daughter will leave next week for Kennebunkport, Me., where they will spend the summer. Mr. Kenrick will spend his vacation at the same place.

—Rev. H. G. Spaulding and Mr. Harry P. Spaulding have been spending a few days at Fern Hill, Burlington, Vt., the guests of Mr. Joseph H. Brown of New York. Mr. Spaulding preached last Sunday in the Unitarian pulpit, and on Wednesday evening lectured before the American Institute of Instruction.

—Mr. W. P. Burnham of Pearl street met with a painful accident at Wellesley, where he was spending the Fourth. By a premature discharge of some powder he was holding, the thumb on his right hand was blown off, and his hand was so injured that the first two fingers had to be amputated. His face was also badly burned.

—The Girls' Friendly Society of Grace church entertained the Girls' Friendly Societies of the churches of the Messiah and the Good Shepherd on Thursday evening by a lawn party at the residence of Col. Parker. Over one hundred were present from Boston, and the exercises concluded with a service in the chapel of Grace church.

—The Methodist congregation will have the privilege of hearing Rev. G. S. Batters of Newtonville next Sunday morning, as he preaches at the Methodist church in exchange. This is the first time he has preached here, as this is his first year at Newtonville. In the evening the pastor will preach from "Who Can Understand His Errors."

—During Rev. Dr. Calkins' absence in Europe the following ministers will occupy the Eliot church pulpit: July 24, Rev. S. H. Virgin of Pilgrim church, New York city; July 31, Rev. David Gregg of Park street church, Boston; Aug. 7, Rev. S. M. Freedland of Chicago; Aug. 14, Rev. Geo. H. Gould of Worcester; Aug. 21, Rev. Geo. A. Paul of Delaware City, Delaware; Aug. 28, Rev. Wm. E. Griffith of Shawmut church, Boston.

—The quarterly statement of the Newton Savings bank shows an increase of \$35,950.14 during the quarter, the total deposits now reaching the great sum of \$1,528,820.50. The semi-annual interest of 2 per cent. to depositors has been declared. During the last three days of the quarter there was a great rush of depositors, the bank receiving on June 20th, \$4,274; June 30th, \$9,588.86; and on July 1st, \$11,874.14, a total of \$25,737.00. Few savings banks in the country have had a more steady growth, and none are more carefully managed.

—Mrs. Chas. B. Fillebrown of Newtonville avenue died quite suddenly last Friday at Nantasket, where she had gone for the benefit of her health. The news was a painful shock to many friends who did not know of her illness. The funeral service will be held at her late residence on Sunday afternoon at 2:30, and at the Unitarian church at Newtonville at 4 o'clock. Rev. Mr. Perrin of the Shawmut church, Boston, conducted the services, and there was a large attendance of friends.

—The Y. M. C. A. meeting on the bank grounds last Sunday afternoon, was very pleasantly and profitably addressed by Robert Scott, Esq., on the subject of temperance. Next Sunday Rev. G. S. Batters will preach, and it is hoped a large number of our citizens will avail themselves of the opportunity to hear this eloquent and earnest preacher. The Ashmun Quartet will assist at the praise service which commences at 3:45. With plenty of seats and abundant shade a very pleasant hour is assured to all who avail themselves of the privilege.

—The Fourth was celebrated here in the usual manner, the din beginning at midnight Sunday night and continuing until late Monday evening. About the usual amount of damage was done, cannon crackers were placed in the street lamps for the fun of seeing the glass fly when they exploded, everything of an inflammable character was carried off and made into bonfires, and other like things were done to show the patriotism of the boys. It would probably be impossible to get enough policemen to restrict the noise to the daytime, but such a consummation would be gratifying to the majority of the citizens. It is said that the greater part of the disorder Sunday night came from bands of Watertown hoodlums who came to wake up Newton. They certainly succeeded in doing so.

—The house now occupied by Mr. W. P. Wentworth on Washington street, Ward Seven, is an illustration of what can be done in the way of remodeling. It was originally a barn, but the taste of the architect has converted it, at small expense, into one of the most beautiful and convenient small residences in our city. Its exterior is very attractive, but the interior finish is a surprise to all who see it. Large use has been made of the Spurr wood papering for dados and ceilings, and a new process of painting walls in oil has been adopted. The plumbing has been done with great care, some entirely original features in this important work have been introduced, so that it is as near perfection as can be desired. Mr. Wentworth deserves credit not only for thus helping to adorn our city, but for this object lesson of how to have a thoroughly artistic home at small expenditure of money. There is

the need of scores of just such houses in Newton.

—Rev. Mr. Calkins will preach morning and evening at Eliot Hall, next Sunday, and expects to return with his family in the Pannonia, sailing from Liverpool Aug. 23. A list of preachers for vacation is printed, and will be distributed next Sunday.

—The Natural History Society's field day to Concord was shared by some twenty ladies and gentlemen, who had a very pleasant time in visiting the many places of interest. Prof. Harris welcomed the party to the School of Philosophy Hall, where they had a pleasant rest. There was a fine breeze during the day, and Concord proved quite a comfortable place.

—A meeting of Waban Lodge, I. O. O. F., was held last evening, and the following officers were installed: N. G., A. F. Nutting; V. G., J. L. Curtis; W. W., A. S. Holbrook; C., C. E. A. Ross; R. S., N. G. H. C. Bates; L. S., N. G. A. Fewkes; R. S., V. G., F. Jordan; L. S., V. G., G. S. Noden; R. S., I. J. Jefferson; L. S., E. Brown; I. G., R. A. Oldrege; O. G., C. L. Littlefield.

—Those who do not go much about our city have but little idea of the rapidity with which building operations are going on in almost all sections. New houses at Newtonville, the Highlands and West Newton are springing up as if by magic. Less has been done in Newton than in some other of the wards, partly because of the difficulty of getting land at moderate prices, and partly because of the lack of enterprise of capitalists and builders. If some of the large and unimproved lands were thrown into the market, and if houses of moderate cost were erected, there would be a rush such as has not been seen in a long time. While Newton people are glad to see other parts of the city grow, they do not like to see Wards One and Seven lag behind when they have so many attractive features, and when it would be so easy to bring good people here as permanent residents.

## NONANTUM.

—Miss E. M. Hudson of Needham is visiting in this village.

—Miss Lucy Worth has returned from her vacation to Williamstown, Conn.

—Rev. Mr. Evans will occupy the pulpit of the North church next Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus G. Upham of Linden, Mass., spent last Sabbath in this village.

—The "Empire" Base Ball club of this village played the Riversides of Watertown last Saturday, and were defeated 9 to 6.

—The watering cart which does duty on Chapel and Watertown street is a great boon to the residents in that vicinity during these hot dry days.

—Rev. W. A. Lamb and family sailed for Europe Thursday in the "Bohemia;" they were accompanied by Miss Lillian Burns, and will remain abroad about a year.

—The friends of poor John Mayo will be glad to know that he was acquitted on the charge of using insulting language to little girls in the streets. It is to be hoped that ere long the real offender will be brought to justice, as some person is regularly offending in this way.

—About noon July 4th, fire was discovered in the roof of a double house on Chandler street, occupied by Andy Toomey and Mrs. Hayes. An alarm was sounded from box 24 and the department made short work of the fire, which was supposed to have originated from a defect in the chimney. The house is an old one and is fully insured.

—The Glorious Old Fourth was fittingly celebrated in this village. The celebration began about twelve o'clock Sunday night and "young America" did his level best to have the whole village join in the celebration, and judging from the noise the day was never more fully celebrated. Many persons were out looking for gates, shutters, fences or out buildings early in the morning; on the whole the boys made things lively, although no real damage was done by them.

## Resolutions.

The following resolutions in regard to the death of George Fuller were passed at the meeting of Waban Lodge, I. O. O. F., last Thursday evening:

WHEREAS, By the dispensation of Divine Providence it has pleased Almighty God to remove from our midst our brother, George Fuller.

Resolved, That by the death of Brother Fuller we lose a warm friend and one thoroughly devoted to the principles of the order; an old fellow for more than forty years, he endeavored in his daily intercourse with the world to exemplify the teachings of Old Fellowship.

Resolved, That the brothers of this lodge do hereby tender to the bereaved widow and mourning children of our departed brother our heartfelt sympathy in this their hour of trial.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be presented to the family of our late brother, and also inserted in the Newton paper.

W. H. PRAXSON,  
G. O. BRACK,  
C. E. A. ROSS.

Newton, June 30, 1887.

## New England Chautauqua.

The eight session of this second in age and second in size only of the modern summer institutes at Framingham will open next Tuesday. The program for the twelve or thirteen days of mingled recreation and study complements the managers estimate of the needs of the hour.

The most conspicuous and best accredited representative talent in the current scientific and religious culture of to-day on both sides of the Atlantic have been provided, prominent among which are the names of Dr. Fairbairn and Prof. Drummond, with those of enthusiastic and entertaining lecturers from various parts of the country of both sexes. The musical features of the session this year are among the most promising. Prof. Sherwin sparing no pains to make them worthy of the occasion. The Newton City Band is engaged for the opening exercises on Tuesday, July 12, and also for graduation day.

## A Man Run Over

On Centre street to give his order to Stiles, the tin snath, rear of the postoffice. Said he "Put my furnace in complete order for winter and send bill to my office." "A word to the wise, &c."



## THE FOURTH CELEBRATION.

INTERESTING RACES, FINE MUSIC AND A GRAND DISPLAY OF FIREWORKS.

The usual quiet of the Centre was broken on the Fourth with a fine celebration gotten up by the Improvement Association, and large numbers of citizens from other wards were attracted here during the day; in the evening the larks of Crystal Lake were lined with people on foot and people in carriages, and every available place was filled with sight-seers, who gave abundant testimony of their satisfaction with the display.

The morning exercises began at 8 a. m., that is the regular ones, as the younger portion of the male population had been at it with more or less enthusiasm since midnight. The boat races on the lake drew a large crowd of spectators, and Mr. Frank Edmonds directed affairs from the judge's boat. First came the double scull race for boys, in which the contestants displayed plenty of pluck, and the winners were Arthur Fowle and Walter Lecompte, the other contestants being Fred. and Willis Bond, Henry Smith and Bert Waters, Wiley Edmonds and Alec Davis.

In the double scull for girls, the contestants were Misses Emily Hunter and Elsie Bennett, Carrie Thurston and Alice Gardner, Julia Fowle and Carrie Crane, Angie Parker and Fannie Edmonds. This was divided into two parts and was an unusually interesting contest, and the fair rowers received enthusiastic applause. In the first, Misses Hunter and Bennett crossed the line first, and in the second Misses Fowle and Crane were the winners.

In the single scull for boys, the contestants in the first class were Walter Lecompte, Arthur Fowle, Moses Stevens and Clinton Hunter. Moses Stevens came in ahead, although he was pushed hard by the others. In the second class Herbert Cobb and F. A. Edmonds were rivals and the former came in ahead.

In the single scull for girls, Misses Emily Hunter, Carrie Thurston, Julia Fowle, Fannie Edmonds and Angie Parker started and rowed so evenly that it was a very pretty contest. Miss Parker crossed the line first.

The last event on the lake was the tub race, which furnished great sport for the spectators, although the boys seemed to derive quite as much fun out of it. The contestants were Masters Paul, Lecompte, Holmes, Fitz, Fowle, Edmonds, Farnham, Bond and Carter, and they got their ticklish crafts into position with a good deal of maneuvering. Fred. Bond performed the difficult feat of going over the course without an upset and won the race with ease, at least it looked easy to the spectators.

## THE ONE MILE RACE

for small machines was won by Gardner Walworth, with F. H. Brown second, and Herbert Cobb and F. A. Edmonds following close behind. The time was 5 minutes.

## IN THE TWO MILE RACE

C. W. Howard, Sumner Clement, J. W. Edmonds and Clinton Hunter entered. The contest was between the two last and proved very exciting until near the close, when Hunter gave out, leaving Edmonds an easy winner in the excellent time of 8 minutes.

## IN THE ONE MILE RACE,

open to all, L. Paul secured another victory, winning the race in 3:05, with M. Buckley second. The other entries were Thomas Woodman, George May and J. W. Edmonds.

## IN THE SLOW RACE

Clinton Hunter was the only rider who did not fall off his machine, and so was declared the winner; the contest provoked much sport. The other riders were W. L. Sanborn, L. Paul, Fred Hovey and J. W. Edmonds.

In the children's velocipede race, the course being around the Mason School House, Carl Peck distanced all competitors and proved himself the coming rider.

## IN THE 100 YARDS DASH

the entries were L. Paul, Willie Carter, Chas. Fitz, Clarence Holmes, Fred Wildes and Wm. Peck. Carter covered the ground in 12 seconds, beating Peck by some 6 inches.

## IN THE RUNNING RACE

Henry Smith came near having a walk over; W. F. Coleman came in second.

## The Band Concert.

The band concert came off in the square at 4 p. m., the Newton City Band in their brilliant uniforms giving a fine selection of patriotic music, and day fireworks were sent up between the various selections, which were witnessed by an interested crowd of spectators.

## THE PRESENTATION OF PRIZES

took place in a tent which had been erected on the grounds of Rev. Mr. Lawrence, the band furnishing music, and a large crowd of spectators being present. Mayor Kimball and members of the City Government were among the invited guests. Mr. Frank Edmonds presided and introduced Rev. Mr. Lawrence, who presented the prizes for the boat races and made an address to the young ladies, congratulating them on the skill they had displayed, and alluding in a humorous way to the magnitude of the event in which they had taken part. In giving out the prizes he made appropriate remarks to each victor, his happy hits calling out much applause.

## The Cycle Races

were the next attraction and the crowd adjourned to the square, where the bicycle races were to take place. The parade was quite impressive and included machines of all sorts and sizes. After the grand march, L. Paul, Walter L. Sanborn and Thomas Woodman began to prepare for the five mile contest. It proved a close and exciting one, and when L. Paul spurred in fine style and crossed the line a little in advance of Sanborn. The time was 18 minutes, which was very good for amateurs.

Rev. Mr. Wheeler was appointed to deliver the prizes for bicycle races, and said that as so far the speeches had all been made to the young ladies he thought it was only fair to give the boys a chance. He then spoke of the advances made in the manufacture of the wheels, and predicted that in a few years the wheelmen would become a power in the land. One of their

first steps, he said, will be to abolish the watering-cart; every one who has ridden a wheel knows the bane of a cyclist's life in a lumbering, old-fashioned watering-cart (applause from all cyclists present), and I say this in the presence of the head of the city government, in hopes he may take it to heart, as the city fathers do not generally ride cycles and do not know what it is to follow a watering-cart for two miles on an up-grade against a head wind. Another step toward a wheelman's millennium is good roads; in many places there are soft spots which can be ridden over without much inconvenience, but what do the city fathers do but cart on rough-broken stone. The teams come along and the loose stone is kicked about by the horses until there is several rods of very bad road to ride over. Broken stone is very good in its place, but its place is not on the surface of the road. It should be covered over with earth, and the road be much easier for drivers as well as wheelmen. Mr. Wheeler then presented medals to the winners in the bicycle and foot races.

## The Fireworks.

About 8:30 p. m. the display of fireworks began, in the presence of as many spectators as could get places about the lake. All the residents in the vicinity had illuminated in honor of the event, and the hundreds of Chinese lanterns made a brilliant spectacle. A large raft was anchored in the centre of the lake, and fireworks of every variety were sent up from it, casting their many colored reflections far and wide over the water. Evidently there had been a very generous response to the call for subscriptions, as the display was a brilliant one, and lasted for several hours. The Centre never does things by halves and its elaborate celebration of the Fourth furnished a generous entertainment to people from all parts of the city.

## Art at Lasell Seminary.

Prof. Bragdon has recently brought home from abroad about ninety oil paintings and drawings, mostly by modern artists. They are hung very effectively in the gymnasium. Near the door are some little etchings on parchment, artists' proofs—one "The Cottage" by Debaisier, after Corot; others are "The Public Servicer," a remark proof, and "The Confidence," by Vion, after Meissonier. Over the entrance is an original drawing, artist's proof, "The Monk's Day Dream." The "St. Joseph and Child," nearly life size, is from Seville, a copy of Murillo; by Contreras. "The Moor Trying his Sword" and the "Spanish Cigar-maker" are from Madrid.

A very pretty "Girl with Hay" is by Paul Duval. J. C. Raught, Paris, to whom no words can do justice, has a number of small pieces in this collection. He is of the new school, using vivid colors with freedom and vigor, yet with judiciousness. For one of his scope he is unpretentious in choice of subjects, but his pictures are so satisfying! He does the fullest justice to every subject, yet without too much stress.

Raught's subjects in this collection are "The Lower Seine, Road-scene in Normandy, Street-scene in Senlis, A Church in Normandy, The Old Mill, Forest in Normandy."

A very finely finished small picture from Berlin is the Street in Stendal by Meyenheim, so are also the Arab Horse in a Kaabye Stable and Market Scene in Holland by moonlight, and On the way to the Fair, from Munich.

A superb Russian Landscape by M. Thatschenko is from the Jubilee Exhibition, 1883. Something in its treatment reminds one a little at first glance of Constable's spring scenery, but upon longer study, its un-English qualities assert themselves.

The largest and most striking picture in the room is the "It Stands Written" from Berlin by Prof. O. Goldmann. The subject is a monk, life size, with worn visage, seated and glancing breathlessly from an open book, at a crucifix on the wall. It represents a moment of intense conviction; a pivotal point in the life of a great man.

The Cathedral at Erfurt with figure of Luther, is an exquisitely finished picture from Antwerp, by Peter de Neete, 1570-1651.

The Arab Sentinel by Vernuti, Rome, one of the large pictures, is very striking. The great harmony and blending of colors in the costume of the straight, graceful figure were specially noted.

The pictures of Streets in Rome by Givry are much admired, also the Knights of St. George in their hall, a water color.

Hildebrandt's sepia sketches deserve special mention. His Dover Coast (chalk cuts), is beyond all praise, doubtless one of the finest things ever done in sepia.

The Study of Hands for Marie Antoinette is one of the gems of the collection, being an original drawing by Paul Delaroche.

The Fisherman's House at Capri by Mrs. G. Wunder, Berlin, in frame carved by the artist, is an exceedingly vigorous, well executed piece, breathing the spirit of the place so truly one might imagine the author never to have lived away from Capri.

The Christ Healing the Sick Child, Gabriel Max, Munich, is a faithful copy.

Carbon photographs of three pictures by Jules Breton, and a Hungarian Madonna by Defregger attract much attention.

In addition to this large number of framed pictures, each one of which deserves an extended notice, there is a collection of unframed photographs and engravings, among which we noted specially some of Gerard Dow's heads of old women.

A group—The Syndies by Rembrandt, a portrait by Van Goyen, Heist, a Holy Family by Murillo, several views of streets and buildings in St. Petersburg; Madonna by Hendig; some water views by Rayssed and one by Hapette, also many others equally worthy of mention.

The discrimination shown in the selection of watercolors throughout the entire collection, impressed us as something almost unique, each one being of the highest order, realizing Ruskin's "thoroughly wet water," whatever the subject. The picture by Hapette suggested these words from Ruskin, descriptive of another picture, "The whole surface of the sea was one dizzy whirl of rushing, writhing, tortured, undirected rage, bounding and crashing and coiling in an unceasing of enormous power, subdivided into myriads of waves of which every one is not a separate surge, but part and portion of a vast one, actuated by internal power, and giving in every direction the mighty undulation of impetuous line, and throughout the rendering of all this there is not one false curve given, not one which is not the perfect expression of visible motion. There is such study of every line, that every line appears the wildest child of chance."

Besides the pictures, there is an ex-

hibition a collection of virtue and interesting relics from different countries. Framed and hung upon the wall are two exquisite models of windows in the Alhambra to the real size.

In addition to this recent acquisition of art, Prof. Bragdon has brought home at other times over eight hundred valuable engravings, a number of artists' proofs, and photographs of the old masters and of antique art.

Lasell may well be congratulated upon having at its head a connoisseur of such breadth and universality and purity of taste.

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Methodist church, cor. Center and Wesley sts. Rev. Fayette Nichols, pastor. Services at 10:45 and 7:30. Sunday-school after morning service.

Channing church (Unit.), cor. Vernon and Eldredge sts. Rev. H. B. Hornbrook, pastor. Service at 10:45 a. m. Sunday School at 12.

Ellet Church. Sunday-school at 9:30; preaching at 10:45; evening, 7. Young people's meeting 8 p. m.

Grace church (Episcopal), cor. Eldredge and Church sts. Rev. G. W. Shinn, D. D., rector. Sunday services at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Fridays 7:30 p. m. Strangers always welcome.

Church of Our Lady Help of Christians (Roman Catholic), corner of Main and Center streets. Masses 8:30 and 10:30; vespers at 3. Sunday-school at 9:15.

No. Evangelical church, Chapel st. Rev. Wm. A. Lamb, pastor. Preaching at 10:45 and 7:30. Sabbath school at 3. Prayer meeting, Thursday evening at 7:30.

Methodist church, cor. Walnut st. and Newtonville ave. Rev. G. S. Butters, pastor. Preaching at 10:45 Sunday-school at 12. Evening service, 7:30. Strangers are welcome.

Central Congregational church, cor. Washington st. and Central ave. Services at 10:45 and 7:30. Sunday-school at 12. Prayer-meeting at 6:30.

Universalist church, Washington park. Rev. R. A. White, pastor. Services at 10:45 a. m. Sunday School at 12. Conference and prayer meeting Friday evenings at 7:30. All cordially invited.

First Congregational church, Highland ave. Rev. John Worcester, pastor. Service at 10:45, followed by Sunday school. All are welcome.

WEST NEWTON.

Second Congregational church, Washington st. Rev. H. J. Park, pastor. Preaching at 10:45 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday school at 12. Young people's meeting Tuesday evening, and prayer and conference meeting Friday evening, both at 7:45.

Central church, cor. Washington and Perkins sts. Rev. O. D. Kimball, pastor. Preaching at 10:45 and 7. Sunday school at 12:10. Services Tuesday and Friday at 7:30.

Myrtle Baptist church, Auburn st., near Prospect. Rev. Jacob Barrell, pastor. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday-school at 2:45.

First Unitarian church, Washington st., near Highland. Rev. J. C. Jaynes, pastor. Services at 10:45.

AUBURNDALE.

Congregational church, Hancock st. and Wood and ave. Rev. Calvin Cutler, pastor. Services at 10:30 and 7:30. Sunday-school after morning service. Young people's meeting at 6:30. Prayer meeting Friday evening at 7:45.

Centenary Methodist church, Central st. Rev. W. R. Newhall, pastor. Services at 10:45 and 7:45. Sunday-school at 12. Young people's meeting at 6:45. Prayer meeting Friday at 7:45.

Church of the West, (Episcopal), Auburn st. Rev. H. A. Metcalf, rector. Holy Communion, 8:45 except on first Sunday in month, when at 12 M.; Morning prayer and sermon, 10:45; Sunday-school, 12 M.; Sunday services, 7:30 and 7:50 Friday. On all Festivals, Holy Communion at 7:30 a. m.

NEWTON CENTER.

First Congregational church, Center st. Rev. T. Holmes, pastor. Services at 10:30 and 7.

Bible Church.—Preaching in Associate Hall at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday School at 3 p. m. Public prayer and praise meeting Friday evening at 7:45. All are welcome.

Methodist church, Rev. Horace L. Wheeler, pastor. Morning service at 10:30; Sunday School at 11:45. Strangers are always welcome.

Methodist church, Rev. W. L. Clarke, pastor. Preaching at 10:30. Sunday-school and pastor's Bible class at 12. Bible readers' club at 4. Prayer meeting at 7. Preaching the first Sunday evening of each month.

NEWTON HIGHLANDS.

Congregational church, cor. Lincoln and Hartford sts. Rev. George G. Phillips, pastor. Services at 10:30 and 7. Sunday-school at 11:45.

St. Paul's (Episcopal), Walnut street. Rev. Carlton P. Mills, rector. Morning prayer and sermon at 10:30; Sunday school at 12 m.; evening prayer and sermon at 7:30 except on first Sunday in month, when at 4 o'clock. Fridays at 7:45, p. m. service with Bible class. Holy Communion, 1st Sunday in the month following morning prayer, on which day the Sunday-school will be omitted.

NEWTON UPPER FALLS.

Methodist Church, Summer st. Rev. John Peterson, pastor. Morning service at 10:30, followed by Sunday school at 12 m. Evening service at 7. Communion service first Sunday in each month, at close of morning service.

Second Baptist Church, cor. Chestnut and Ellis sts. Preaching at 10:30 and 6:30. Sunday-school at 12. Friday at 7:30. Seats free.

Regular service each Lord's Day, at the Church of Yahveh—L. T. Cunningham, pastor. At 10:30 a. m. and 2 p. m. Communion service, first Lord's Day in each month, at the afternoon preaching service. Seats are free, and all are invited.

NEWTON LOWER FALLS.

St. Mary's Church, Rev. W. G. Wells, Rector. The Holy Communion at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. First Sunday in the month when it is in the Church at noon. Sunday school 9:45. Morning service and sermon 10:45. Evening prayer and sermon 3:15 p. m. Other Holy Days, 7:30 p. m. In the Chapel with Holy Communion. Friday 7:30 p. m. in Chapel, service with address.

Methodist church: Rev. J. B. Gould, p. stor. Preaching at 10:45 and 7:30. Sabbath-school at 12. Prayer meeting at 6:30. Prayer meeting Friday evenings.

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## Diamond Etchings.

Ten years ago the "Old Boys" thought they would see if they had forgotten how to play ball, and they liked it so well they have gathered each Fourth since and had a friendly trial among themselves.

The game this year took place on the lawn of the Eliot Place, Waltham street. It was necessary to get along this year without their old friend, "Ingram," he has the farming fever and has gone to New Hampshire to put that new place in order. This is the first time in ten years he has been absent. The day was a beautiful one for the sport, and the excitement was kept up for 9 innings. Mr. Russell kindly took Mr. Graves' place in the fifth inning. The score:—

WARREN'S SIDE.	GRAVES' SIDE.
Warren, c. 6	Graves, c. 6
Mandell, p. 2	Russell, c. 4
Ramsdell, l. 4	Freeman, l. 6
Potter, 3. b. 4	Belamy, p. 4
Burage, p. 5	Long, p. 1
Sleeper, l. 2	Bird, p. 3
Churchill, c. 2	Fien, r. 0
Halley, r. 1	Tapley, ss. 0
Kilburn, c. 5	Shattuck, 2b. 2
	Symonds, 3b. 3
Total..... 33 24	Total..... 2 27

Score by innings: 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9  
Warren's Side..... 3 7 4 3 3 4 4 5 —33  
Graves' Side..... 1 0 0 1 2 4 6 3 5—27  
Umpire—Frederic Dolbear.

## Our School Board.

(Peabody Press.)

We have now for the first time a new doctrine propounded; that while presidents and governors and senators may be petitioned a school board may not be approached, even with bated breath and humble reverence.—[Newton Graphic.]

What a high and mighty school board they must have at Newton, to be sure. But we have seen school boards so impressed with their importance and the heavy weight as was Atlas, resting on their shoulders, that it did seem like an act of reverence to approach them.

## Literary Notes.

Two new novels in Ticknor's paper series are Eleanor Maitland and The House of the Musician. The first will have special interest for Newton people, as it is by Mrs. Clara Erskine Clement, who is so well-known here, and whose hand books of art are so popular. It is a romance of modern life and European travel and experiences. It is a genuine old-fashioned story abounding in incident and color, and calculated to hold the interest as many of the etching-like modern novels fail to do. The New York Home Journal thus commends it: "A story, the heroine of which is a woman who is always lovely, gracious and strong, and in fact altogether a gentlewoman, who is as guileless and sweet as she is steadfast and who regulates the affairs of her life by her sincerest convictions of duty, her instinctive delicacy and a lofty consciousness of that consideration which always is due to others, while not for an instant forgetting that respect which belongs to herself. It is a long time since a thoroughbred lady has been portrayed in our literature." The House of the Musician is by Miss Virginia W. Johnson, author of "Tulip Place" and "The Fainals of Tipton." This story is an artist romance, with Venice for its scene. It is full of romance and a very readable novel, which will add to the popularity of the series.

Under its new editor, Mr. T. A. Kennett, The Decorator and Furnisher bids fair to add to its already high reputation. The July number is exceptionally interesting. It contains over fifty engravings, covering almost every department of decorative art. Madge Hepworth Dixon continues her papers on Painting on Wood, Marion Foster Washburne begins a series on Wall Decorations, and the editor in "The Lair of the Bachelor" pleasantly introduces three fine illustrations which begin a series of sketches of the most noticeable bachelor apartments in the great cities. The range of artistic ability shown in this issue is very unusual, and a number of new contributors add to its variety and interest. Published at No. 30 and 32 East Fourteenth street, New York.

## THE JULY FORUM.

The article that is most alive in the Forum for July is the Rev. Father Huntington's "Tenement House Morality." Father Huntington's life is devoted to good works, in his noble calling he has actually lived in some of the most squalid quarters of New York, and every line in this earnest paper is written with sincere and earnest purpose. After some statements of fact so convincing in themselves that we hope every one will read them, Father Huntington says:

"I know that these statistics will give but a faint conception of the density of the population to any except those who have gone in and out of the houses day and night for months, if not years; but most people, by a little effort of the imagination, can form some sort of an idea how impossible it is for dwellers in tenement blocks to get out of the sight and sound of their neighbors, whose names are often unknown, but whose voices and footsteps are as familiar as those of their own room-mates. At all seasons of the year the inhabitants of a tenement house must meet one another in the entries (sometimes less than three feet wide), on the stairs, at the sink (there is but one on each floor); must see into one another's rooms as each person goes in and out; must use the roof, the doorway, the yard, in common. But when the summer heats are on, and men and women crowd together on the top of the house waiting for a breeze to come; when men will sit all night on a seat in the park to escape the closeness of a room where a fire has been burning all day (not for cooking, but to heat the iron for the laundry or the tailor's shop); when every window must stand open to let in what little air there is; then it may be seen that privacy in a tenement house is not much more possible than in an Eastern caravansary or in the steerage of an emigrant vessel. At such a time every loud word spoken reaches the ears of scores of people. From one room come the harsh tones of a husband and wife in the heat of a 'family quarrel,' oaths and imprecations ringing out on the fetid air; from another window come the shouts and frantic laughter of men and women (God pity them!) trying to drown their misery in liquor from the gin mill on the corner; while from the roof of a neighboring house come the words of a ribald song flung out shamelessly to all within hearing, whether they

choose or not. And as if this were not debasing enough, in many of these blocks every other house has on the ground floor a saloon or rum shop, from which the smell of alcohol issues at all times; where the monotonous click of balls on the pool table sounds till after midnight, when it gives place to the howls of drunken men turned out on the street, and past the door of which, often open into the entry, every person, every child, in the house must pass to and from his room."

One of the most hopeful signs of this century is the way which the heart of humanity has been touched with the sorrows of humanity. No other age in the world's history can be likened to it; but there is still a dead wall of indifference to be overthrown; and not only is all that good men can do—whether individually or landed together in brotherhoods like those of the Roman and the English church—not only is this strong, constant effort needed, but there cannot be too many such articles as Father Huntington's to open men's eyes to the hideous union of poverty and crime.

For the next, the Forum of this month has much that is sensible and to the purpose. "Books That Have Helped Me," by Dr. A. P. Peabody: "What is the Object of Life?" by Mr. Grant Allen, and "Is Princeton Humanizing?" by Professor Newman Smyth, have various degrees of ethical interest. The Forum often runs the risk of seeming a little absurd from its habit of rushing cheerfully into the discussion of the latest questions—"Relation the Ultimate Truth," by Mary Parmelee, is a good example—when the writers who discuss them are often not of the highest mark. Mr. Henry George is as favorite a subject of essays as the Irish rat told of by Rosalind was of poetry, and Professor Harris writes this month of his "Mistake About Land."

## Household Matters.

SNOW CUSTARD.

Use one pint of milk, one pint of cream, one quarter pound of white sugar, ten eggs, one stick of cinnamon. Put the milk, cream, sugar and cinnamon in a farina kettle and set on the fire; when the mixture begins to boil, pour in the yolks of the eggs, having previously beaten them up in a few spoonfuls of cold milk; keep stirring the mixture until it begins to boil again; then take out the cinnamon and stir in the whites, previously well-beaten, stirring quickly all the time to prevent running over; when done put it into a dish garnished with small cakes.

POTATO SALAD.

One quart bowl mashed potatoes, two finely minced onions, one teaspoonful made mustard, one scant half-teaspoonful pepper, three tablespoonfuls melted salt pork, ham or bacon fat mixed with six tablespoonfuls sharp vinegar. Mix all well through the potato at least two hours before serving. A cheap and good salad.

BROILED POTATOES.

Cut cold boiled potatoes into slices a third of an inch thick. Dip them into melted butter and fine bread crumbs. Place in a double broiler and broil over a fire that is not too hot. Garnish with parsley, and serve on a hot dish; or season with salt and pepper, toast till a delicate brown, arrange on a hot dish, and season with butter.

GINGER PUDDING.

One half cup of molasses, two-thirds of a cup of butter, one cup of brown sugar, two cups of flour, four eggs, one small teaspoonful of ginger, one of cinnamon and one of cloves. Bake in layers and put together with jelly and icing. Serve with sauce or cream.

TOMATO FRITTERS.

One quart of stewed tomatoes, one egg, one small teaspoonful of soda, stir in flour enough to make a batter such as is used for griddle cakes. Have some lard very hot on the stove, drop the batter in a spoonful at a time and fry.

PUDDING SAUCE.

One egg beaten to a froth, one cup of white sugar, half a cup of butter, two-thirds of a cup of more of hot water poured on it; flavor with a little lemon and nutmeg. If more water is used take a little cornstarch, dissolve and pour in.

SALLY LUNN.

To a quart of flour add four eggs beaten up with one cup of sugar, one pint of warmed milk, with a tablespoonful of melted butter in it, and two and one-half teaspoonfuls of yeast powder. Bake like pound cake.

GINGER SNAPS.

One pint of molasses, one teaspoonful of soda, butter size of an egg, ginger, and flour enough to roll very thin. Bake quickly.

To most children, the bare suggestion of a dose of castor oil is nauseating. When physic is necessary for the little ones, use Aver's Cathartic Pills. They are safe and pleasant to take. Try them.

—My 4-year-old boy remarked confidentially to the cook the other day that he "would hate to be a chicken." "Why, Rob?" she asked, "Cause I would have to lay eggs, and I don't know how," was the response.—[Babyhood.]

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For many years my wife had been the victim of nervous dyspepsia, of the chronic, distressing and apparently incurable type from which so many of her sex suffer, languish and die. It was all the worse because the tendency towards it was inherited. She had been under the systematic treatment of many of the best physicians in New York and Brooklyn and elsewhere for twenty years with only temporary relief. Although had enough at all times she was always worse in the Autumn—and the eating of fruits (often recommended to dyspeptics) in her case produced flatulency and excessive pain. In fact there were few, if any, kinds of food that did not distress her, so diseased, sensitive and torpid were all the organs of digestion. The usual symptoms of dyspepsia, with its concomitant ailments, were all present—bad taste in the mouth, dull eyes, cold feet and hands, the sense of a load upon the stomach, tenderness on pressure, indigestion, giddiness, great weakness and prostration, and fugitive pains in the sides, chest and back. If there ever was a case of dyspepsia which to all intents and purposes, seemed altogether hopeless it was hers. I have often risen in the night and administered stimulants merely for the sake of the slight and transient relief they gave. What her aggregate experience was I may safely leave to the imagination of those who have suffered in a similar way. Certainly no one else can begin to understand it.

After she had undergone about five years of this apparently endless misery, did she take a turn for the better? Far from it. She grew worse if anything could be worse. Intermittent malarial fever set in, complicating the case and making every symptom more pronounced and intense. By this time the pneumo-gastric nerves had become very seriously involved, and she had chronic Gas-Titis, and also what I may be allowed to call chronic intermittent malarial fever all at once. For the latter the physicians prescribed the good, old-fashioned, sheet-anchor remedy, Quinine, gradually increasing the doses, until—incalculable as it may seem—she actually took thirty grains a day for days in succession. This could not last. The effect of the quinine was, if possible, almost as bad as the two-fold disease which was wearing away her strength and her life. Quinine poisoning was painfully evident,

but the fever was there still. Almost every day there came on the characteristic chill and racking headache, followed by the usual weakness and collapse.

Need I tell you I despaired—not merely of her recovery—but of any appreciable rest in this long and dreary experience? Somewhat less than a year ago my wife showed signs of such utter exhaustion that her friends indulged in the most serious apprehensions. About this time I met socially my friend Mr. Norton, a member of the firm of Chauncey Titus & Co., brokers, of Albany, who, on hearing from me these facts, said: "Why, I have been through almost the same thing, and have got over it." "What cured you?" I asked, eagerly. "Kaskine," he said, "try it for your wife." I had seen Kaskine advertised, but had no more faith in it than I had in sawdust for such a case as hers. Mrs. Hall had no higher opinion, yet on the strength of my friend's recommendation I got a bottle and began its use as directed.

Now recall what I have already said as to her then condition, and then read what follows: Under the Kaskine treatment all the dyspeptic showed instant improvement, and the daily fever grew less and soon ceased altogether. Side by side these diseases vanished as side by side they had tortured their victim for ten years—the dyspepsia alone having, as I have said, existed for twenty years. Her appetite improved from week to week until she could eat and digest the average food that any well person takes, without any suffering or inconvenience. With renewed assimilation of food came, of course, a steady increase in flesh, until she now looks like her original self. She still takes Kaskine occasionally, but with no real need of it, for she is well. I consider this result a scientific miracle, and the "New Quinine" entitled to the credit of it, for from the time she began with Kaskine she used no other medicine whatever.

If you think a recital of these facts calculated to do good you are welcome to make them public.

(Rev.) JAS. L. HALL, Chaplain Albany, N. Y., Penitentiary.

P. S.—Sometimes letters of this kind are published without authority, and in case any one is inclined to question the genuineness of the above statement, I will cheerfully reply to any communications addressed to me at the Penitentiary.

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## OUR STREET RAILROAD.

The demand for street cars in Newton seems to increase with the postponement of action by the board of aldermen, and men who at first were bitter opponents of the scheme are now coming out and openly criticizing the board for placing any obstacles in the way of the enterprise. Much of the criticism seems to be unjust, as most of the aldermen favor the project, but are bound by their office to look after the interests of the city, and see that proper conditions are made, before a location is granted to the company. The aldermen, or those upon the highway committee, have made a special study of the case, have investigated the street car systems of many cities, and are in a position to know what is best for this city. Their opinions are entitled to great weight, and so far no evidence has been presented to prove that they are mistaken.

Meanwhile the application of electricity to street cars, as a motive power, is being perfected, and by the time the road is built electric motors will hardly be an experiment. In Cambridge the street railway company has been granted permission to use this method of running its cars, and eight cities in this country have street railways operated by electricity. In twelve cities electric railways are in course of construction or under contract, and in thirty-seven cities companies have been formed or other steps taken for the building of such roads. It is said that cars with electric motors can be operated for \$4.10 per day, while horses cost \$7.50. The American roads, so far, do not use storage batteries, but most of them get their power from an overhead conductor. In Brussels and Hamburg the storage system is used, and the experiments so far made in this country promise to be successful in every way.

## YOUNG AMERICA ABROAD.

Young America was abroad in every sense in Newton the night before the Fourth, and exhibited what he could do when unrestrained by law. His sense of fun is a peculiar one, and consists in such "jokes" as filling street lamps with cannon crackers in order to break the glass by the explosion. A great number of lamps were shattered in this way, and the city has to foot the bills. Another favorite "joke" is to surround the house of some sleeping citizen and suddenly fire off a multitude of pistols, cannon crackers, and other explosives, all the time howling with a vigor that would do credit to a band of Indians. Other "jokes" were setting fire to old buildings, pulling down telegraph and fire alarm poles, building bon-fires in dangerous places, and making night hideous in every conceivable way.

Young America's sense of humor is very largely developed, and he sees fun in what appears to older people to be merely rowdiness of the lowest type.

As an example, take the case of some boys who went about at Newton Centre during the fireworks display, firing pistols suddenly behind a crowd of ladies, dropping fire-crackers in their midst, or throwing explosives under the feet of horses. Most people think the only applause to be given such actions should be given by a policeman with his hand on the boy's collar.

It is no wonder that in many cities fireworks and disorder of any kind on this holiday have been prohibited by law, and the law strictly enforced. Such a course will have to be followed in Newton unless the young people show more regard for the rights and comfort of citizens. It is stating the case very mildly to say that the proceedings on the night before the Fourth were a disgrace to the city, and should not have been allowed. Parents who permit their sons to spend the night in the streets are more to blame than the boys themselves. Noise and rowdiness are not patriotism, and it is high time an example was made of some of the offenders. A few arrests would have had a wholesome effect.

A NEW point has been raised in regard to the Soldier's exemption law, which was wholly overlooked by the legislature. It is of some importance and seems to show that the exemption law is far from providing a short cut from a politician's back office to a fat clerkship. It is said that the legislature did not think far enough ahead to make any change in the law relating to the appointing of officers in the civil service, which says that they must appoint from persons who are certified to them by the commission.

Consequently, the appointing officers must select those veterans who have gone through the regular course, the only benefit being that they escape the examinations. This view of the law is held by those who have studied the matter closely, and the issue is before the commissioners. The exemption law does not promise to be as bad in principle as it is in theory. It was a heavy blow at

reform principles, but practically its effect will probably be light, as men who are anxious for a good record in their offices, will get their clerks from the commission, and not from the politicians. All the testimony is in favor of the civil service law, it having resulted in an improvement of the public service, and the law has proved its value by its results. It is one of the reforms that has come to stay, however disagreeable it may be to the spoilsmen, who used to find the public offices a cheap and inexpensive way of rewarding their followers.

ANOTHER change has taken place in the Boston Advertiser, which has been bought out by Chas. E. Whitten of Whitinsville, who is said to be a wealthy manufacturer. The stockholders have had to pay some enormous losses, but they have gained some valuable experience in the newspaper business. "Directing Director" Lodge has found an organ a costly plaything. It is to be hoped that the new proprietor will not run the paper in the interest of any one man or clique, but will make it what the Advertiser used to be, in the days of Messrs. Goddard and Waters, when it led public opinion and was conducted upon principle instead of policy. If Mr. Whitten wishes to make the Advertiser a success he should call back Mr. Walter Allen, whose absence has been evident to every reader of the paper, and interfere himself as little as possible in the management. There is a great field open for an able daily paper that will appeal to intelligent Republicans, be reasonably free from partisan pettiness and treat public questions with some view to the interests of the nation rather than solely with a view to the interests of the party.

The ex-Postmaster of Nashua, N. H., in talking with a Newton friend the past week, said he hoped that Newton people would not allow their indignation at the action of the school board to prejudice them against Mr. Goodwin, as he was really one of the best teachers in New Hampshire, and worthy of public confidence. Such a result is hardly probable, as the majority of Newton people are too much interested in the school, and too intelligent to allow any unjust prejudice to influence them. Mr. Goodwin will be treated fairly by the people, at least, and the public opinion of the school board will be shown at the next election.

THE SPRINGFIELD REPUBLICAN was so worked up over the way the night before the Fourth was observed in that city that it declares that "the whole thing, so far from being a celebration of patriotism, is an object lesson in mob law, defiance of private right, and outrage upon public order." It also intimates that if the authorities do not get backbone enough to deal with "the Fourth of July Flood" there will be a law and order league by and by, which will bring the offenders before courts. The racket in Springfield must have been almost as bad as it was in some parts of Newton.

A RECENT instance calls up the question as to what class of people our present immigration laws are intended to benefit. They keep out desirable immigrants, such as skilled tradesmen who are hired to come over here and start new industries, even though we have no one in this country to compete with them, and they let in without question the offscourings of Europe, people whom their own countries are only too glad to be rid of. Our Congressmen who are so at a loss for live issues might find a suggestion in this.

THE GRAPHIC reached some of its readers a few hours later than usual last week, owing to a break-down of our press, after a few hundred papers had been sent out. The rest of the edition had to be sent to Watertown to be printed, Mr. Fred G. Barker, the job printer of that town, kindly offering the use of his press and office. The delay was unavoidable, but accidents will happen in the best regulated offices, especially when a paper has, like the GRAPHIC, outgrown its press facilities, and new and faster machinery has become a necessity.

THE trustees of the Hospital would be greatly encouraged if some of our wealthy citizens would give them the funds needed to add a wing to the present building. Nearly 100 persons have thus far been under treatment at the Hospital, and so it has fully demonstrated its usefulness. Among people so well off as ours it ought not to be difficult to find some one who will give the trustees \$5000 for this enlargement.

## List of Letters

Remaining in the Post Office at Newton, Middlesex County, Mass., July 9, 1887.  
Ladies—Lydia M. E. Bart, John E. Brown, Sadie Converse, Mrs. H. B. Dixon, Tessa Farrell, Lella Fletcher, Lizzie Hale, Kittie Herman, C. O. Howard, Mrs. Sylvester March, Estelle McLean, Mrs. Pauline Miller, Mary McDonald, Mary Noble, Mrs. Addie M. Peck, Nellie Richardson, Carrie Robinson, Mary Rogers, Mrs. Mary Sanford, Mary Traylor, Rose H. Valley.  
Gentlemen—John F. Farrell, Thomas Fenton, Edmund Harvey, Edmund M. H. J. Jones, Willie Jones, Charles Keith, Edward Labache, Chas. R. Manchester, Thomas McMahon, A. L. Mead, J. J. Morgan, Michael Mullens, Joseph O'Brien, John Randall, Abner C. Wakefield, Edward H. Walsh.

## Unhappy Ward Two.

Editor of the GRAPHIC:  
Is it not about time for the property holders of Ward Two to protest against this ruthless destruction of property and disturbance of the public peace on the night before and early morning of the Fourth. A little nonsense, the use of fire-crackers and such are not objected to, but "patience ceases to be a virtue" when incendiarism holds high carnival. Even a theatre of far barriers, when managed by a drunken crowd who have no control over themselves, becomes a public nuisance. It would be well to turn the hose of common sense upon the reckless proceedings of which we have read.

## WARD TWO.

Newtonville, July 7.

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At West Newton, July 6, by Rev. L. J. O'Toole, George H. Brown of Newton to Hannah Finnegan of Boston.  
At West Newton, July 4, by Rev. J. C. Jaynes, Conrad Kadle to Alice E. Hapgood, both of Worcester.  
At Boston, July 2, by Rev. Stephen L. Baldwin, John H. Kinnear of Newton to Sarah R. Elliott of Boston.  
At West Newton, July 2, by Rev. O. D. Kimball, Walter B. Wilcox to Fannie E. York, both of Waltham.  
At Weston, June 3, by Rev. W. G. Wells, Nathaniel T. Lane of Newton to Lillie A. Seaverns of Weston.  
At Auburndale, June 29, by Rev. Henry A. Metcalf, Charles L. Markham to Mary H. Bird, both of Newton.

## DIED.

At Newton, July 4, Elizabeth C., daughter of John Sennot, aged 1 year, 11 months.  
At Nonantum, July 6, Charles, son of Thomas Connolly, aged 1 year, 3 months.  
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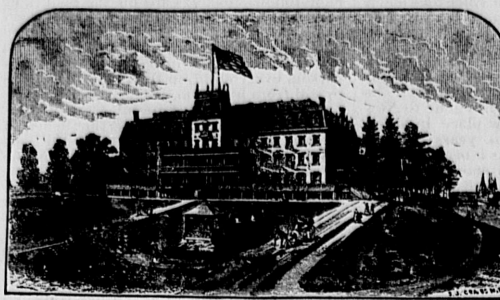
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—Miss A. A. Smead is visiting her sister in Worcester.

—Miss Abby I. Fisk is at Greenfield for a few weeks.

—Mr. and Mrs. Chas. H. Abbott are at East Boothbay, Me.

—Mrs. Lydia Underhill and Miss Parsons are at Derry, N. H.

—Mr. F. S. Amidon and wife are at Cottage City for the summer.

—Mr. J. W. Fenno and family will pass the summer at Loudon, N. H.

—Mr. W. F. Chapman and family are at the Atlantic House, Nantasket.

—Mr. J. E. Gilman and family have gone to Stockton, Me., for the summer.

—Mr. G. H. Loomis is at Westfield, where he will spend most of the summer.

—Miss Evelyn Rich has gone to Round Hill Farm, South Dartmouth, Mass.

—Mr. and Mrs. Elias B. Jones have gone to Ocean Spray, for a month or more.

—Miss Grace Thompson has returned from Duluth, Minn., for the summer.

—Miss May Noble has gone to East Saginaw, Michigan, for her vacation.

—Mr. Alfred Cole has returned to Newtonville and will reside on Otis street.

—Mrs. Walter Chaloner is just beginning to go out again, after an illness of four weeks.

—Mr. H. B. Parker and family are occupying their cottage at Bayside, Strawberry Plains.

—Mr. E. M. Rumery has been chosen vice-chancellor of Damon Lodge, K. of P. of Boston.

—Mr. and Mrs. Winfield S. Slocum and family are at the Harbor View House, East Gloucester.

—Mr. George W. Morse and family sailed for Europe on Thursday, in the Bothnia from Boston.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Kimball will go to the Mountain House, Princeton, for the month of August.

—Miss Emma Johnson spent a few days in Newburyport, before returning to her home in Nashua, N. H.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Chapman and family have gone to the Atlantic House, Nantasket, for a short stay.

—Winfield S. Slocum has been chosen president of the reorganized Massachusetts Bicycle club of Boston.

—Mrs. H. P. Dearborn was called to Provincetown this week, by news of the serious illness of her mother.

—Rev. Geo. S. Butters and Mrs. Butters were invited to tea at Mrs. Clavin's last Friday, to meet Mr. and Mrs. Smith of Burmah, India.

—Mrs. E. J. Underhill has rented the house on Otis place formerly occupied by Geo. A. Mead and family, and will take possession at once.

—Water mains are being laid to Grove Hill Park, which is being rapidly laid out in desirable lots, and a large number have already been sold.

—Mrs. Joseph Arnold and Miss Parsons are at Saco, Me., for a week, and after visiting other places they will pass August at Old Orchard Beach.

—Mrs. E. C. Sherman of Marlborough street, Boston, has rented the Rev. Mr. Worcester's house on Highland avenue, for the summer months.

—Mrs. S. B. Fay of Springfield is spending a couple of weeks in our midst, and is staying at Mr. Bradshaw's. Mr. Fay spent the 4th and Sunday here.

—The little Misses Hooper have sufficiently recovered from the measles, to go to their grandfather's in Bath, Maine, where they will spend the summer.

—Captain Bixby of the fire department did a most gratifying thing to the near residents of the square, when he ordered the hose to be turned on to the bonfire last Monday morning.

—The Universalist Society have met with an almost irreparable loss, in the death of Mrs. Fillebrown, who has always been so great a power and help in all branches of the society and church work.

—A Union Temperance meeting was held at the Methodist church last Sunday evening, in which the congregations of Rev. Messrs. White, Hunter and Butters united, the latter preaching the sermon.

—Captain Robert S. Shedd of the High School Battalion, leaves this week for a summer excursion over mountain and hill, through hamlet and heath, to return in time for the commencement of the Boston Tech.

—Mr. E. H. Pierce left Thursday night for New York, whence he sails on the Circassia for Europe. He will visit Scotland and Ireland, and intends to return in September. Mrs. Pierce and family will spend the summer at the Old Orchard Beach House, Me.

—J. Cheever Fuller has leased the Mitchell house on Washington street, to M. L. Steere of Boston; Griffin house on Murray street, to W. H. King of Boston; Defreix house on Otis street, to M. V. Livingston of Boston; Carter house on Clifton street to D. B. Needham of Newtonville.

—A pleasant lawn party and tea was held on the grounds adjoining the residence of Mr. Louis E. G. Green, Watertown street, on the afternoon of July 4th, at which about forty of his neighbors were present. Fireworks in the evening added much to the enjoyment of those present.

—It was of no little interest to a number of by-standers, to watch the lowering of the paint pot from the top of the flag staff on Monday morning, which had been put there in the night by some mischievous young America. It was not long before the flag was floating in its accustomed place.

—Austin street presented quite a gay appearance the night of the 4th, with its illumination by Chinese lanterns, and its brilliant display of fireworks. Court street too was foremost in celebrating the glorious Fourth. A large number of people enjoyed the variety of pyrotechnics in the evening, which display occupied nearly two hours, and was very successful.

—At the commencement exercises at Holy Cross College, last Thursday, John J. Harkins, son of Mr. C. P. Harkins, took the degree of B. A. with high honors. He prepared at the High School, and is one of the many excellent scholars the High School has fitted for college. He was one of the youngest

students that graduated at Holy Cross College, being only 19, and was chosen valedictorian of his class. His address was entitled "A Return to the Classics, A Reprospect." He will continue his studies and enter one of the liberal professions.

—Mr. Jason Herriek, who has charge of the brick work on the new brick block, was seriously hurt Wednesday morning; he was going up a ladder to the second story, when a capstone fell and struck him on the head, inflicting a severe scalp wound, and bruises about the shoulder and face. He was taken to his home on Washington street in an unconscious condition, and has suffered greatly since. It is now thought that his injuries, although serious, are not of a necessarily dangerous character, and that he will recover. A few minutes after his fall, his horse which was standing in front of the block ran away, and the wagon was ruined.

—People who are going away for the summer can have the GRAPHIC sent to them for 25 cents a month, three months for 50 cents, and the address will be changed as often as desired.

## WEST NEWTON.

—Mrs. Julia A. Houghton is at Cottage City for a few weeks.

—Mrs. L. L. Harding has gone to Newport, R. I., for the summer.

—Rev. O. D. Kimball is enjoying a vacation at New London, N. H.

—Miss Emma Nickerson went to Amherst on Friday to spend a few weeks.

—The Highway department has commenced the widening of River street.

—There were ten cases of intoxication in the police court the day after the Fourth.

—The Howland estate on Highland street was sold to George R. White for \$10,500.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Bullivant and Miss Hattie Avery sailed for Europe last Saturday.

—Rev. L. J. O'Toole sails next week for Europe, for a brief vacation from his parish duties.

—Miss Louise Webber of Fountain street has gone to West Harwich, Mass., for the summer.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Tolman are registered among the recent arrivals at Osterville.

—Mrs. H. C. Randall is spending the summer with Mrs. Luce at West Tisbury, Martha's Vineyard.

—Mr. Edward Upham, daughter and son, are attending the Christian Endeavor Convention at Saratoga.

—Mrs. Harriet Millett and Mrs. Jos. H. Newhall of Alpine street are spending the hot weather in Maine.

—The W. A. T. Club, composed of ladies from this ward, had a lunch party at Nantasket on Wednesday.

—Rev. J. C. Jaynes will start on Monday on his summer vacation, which he will spend at Lake Minnetonka, Minn.

—Rev. Mr. Jaynes, Mr. J. B. Chase, Mr. A. K. Tolman, and Mr. C. M. Bucknam have gone to Plymouth for a week's fishing.

—Mr. W. L. Dolbear and family left this week for the Winthrop Beach House, Ocean Spray, where they will spend the summer.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Kimball of Boston are at their beautiful summer residence, the "Anchorage," for part of the summer season.

—Miss Onthank of Buford, S. C., is expected here this week, to spend the summer with her sister, Mrs. John Greenwood of Temple street.

—Mr. J. D. Wellington leaves Saturday for the west, where he goes to visit his sons in Chicago and Milwaukee. He will be absent two weeks.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Avery are home from their wedding trip, and were welcomed on Thursday by a number of friends at their residence on Perkins street.

—Mr. Arthur R. Coe, President of the Newton Christian Endeavor Union, is attending the 6th Annual Christian Endeavor Convention at Saratoga this week.

—Lafayette Lodge of Watertown gave 115 members of Newton Lodge the third degree, Thursday night. This finished the work on the first installment of members.

—Mr. L. F. Warren and wife have gone to the educational convention at Burlington, Vt., and the last of July will join the other West Newton people at Rindge, N. H.

—Mr. William Spinney will spend part of his school vacation in Oswego, N. Y. His family will go to their usual haunt in Nantucket, at the "School for Languages."

—The West Newton Savings Bank has started off this quarter with a good number of deposits, and promises to be popular with the people of West Newton and vicinity.

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—The record of the chemical engine of attending five fires in a space of ten hours, is a rare one for this quiet city. Probably the members of the company were glad to rest on the 5th of July.

—Mrs. E. W. Wood took premiums for cut flowers, and Severance Burrage a gratuity for 90 varieties of native plants at the monthly flower show of the Horticultural Society in Boston last Saturday.

—The Eliot estate on Waltham street, which has lain idle so many years, is to be broken up into 67 house lots and sold at auction next Monday. The estate in its day was one of the most beautiful places in Newton.

—An alarm from box 31 at 1:30 p. m., Saturday, was for a fire in the roof of Keegan's blacksmith shop on Waltham street. The fire was extinguished before the chemical engine arrived, with but trifling damage.

—City Engineer Noyes left Monday for the Catskills, to attend the annual meeting of the American Society of Civil Engineers, which lasted until Thursday. He is now studying up the sewerage systems of Atlantic City and Long Branch.

—The Ladies' Lunch Club made their first annual excursion to Sierborn Farm Lake Grove, where they were well cared for by Mr. Leland. A picnic in the grove and sail on the lake were the entertaining features of the day.

—In spite of the police regulation that all was to be quiet until 2 p. m. of July 4th, the striking of 12 p. m. on July 3rd, was attended with all the noise possible. Ex-

cepting that a number of persons lost their sleep, and that a few gates and signs were carried off, the "glorious Fourth" was unattended with harm to anyone in Ward 3.

—There was no truth in the report that a number of tombstones in the old burying-ground on River street were defaced and thrown down on the Fourth. A few stones were taken from the wall around the cemetery, but the damage proceeded no further.

—A party of High School boys, comprising Arthur Howland, Fisher Ames and E. C. Bliss, and Lawrence Strog, Edward Pickard and Ernest Markham of Auburn-dale, leave next week for Center Harbor, N. H., where they will camp out for three or four weeks.

—Mr. George Ingraham, who is at his summer home, Rindge, N. H., met with a narrow escape. A heavy chain in the barn broke, and swinging loose struck him on the head. He was prostrated several hours, causing great anxiety. The last accounts received from him were more encouraging, and it is hoped he will soon be about again.

—A meeting of the chiefs of police of the cities in Middlesex county was held at City Marshal Hammond's residence recently, to form a county organization. It was considered desirable to make it a state organization, and with this in view Chiefs Burleigh and Hammond were appointed a committee to confer with the chiefs of the 24 Massachusetts cities and report at a future meeting. The plan is to meet once a month with a view of having a systematic method of conducting the police business.

—Thirteen bicycles and as many wagons were the ornaments around City Hall, Thursday afternoon. Attractions in the court room brought together a crowd of thirty or forty men; a number of small boys and a dozen policemen. The case was an assault upon an officer at the Newton Centre depot Fourth of July evening, and the spectators were nearly all natives of Ward 6. It seems that Officer Fuller had taken a drunken man in charge at Chestnut Hill, and had boarded the last train from Boston to escort him to the police station in Newton Centre. While getting himself and prisoner off the train at the Centre, a man named Beck approached him, (or as Beck states) remonstrated against locking up an unoffending man. Some way or other Beck and his friend, Louis Hoppeck, who assisted in the excitement that followed, were considered as being under the influence of liquor and were both captured and locked up. As soon as possible they furnished bail. They appeared at court Tuesday. The testimony was very contradictory. Four policemen testified for the commonwealth, and twenty-one men appeared for the defense. The trial lasted until 8 o'clock, and resulted in the finding of George Beck \$10 and costs, for assault on an officer. Louis Hoppeck was acquitted on the charge of assault, and sentenced to pay \$1 and costs for intoxication. W. F. Slocum appeared for the prosecution, and C. C. Barton for the defense.

## AUBURDALE.

—Miss Lina Jones is at Sandwich for the summer.

—Mr. Winthrop Coffin is at Hotel Hunnewell, Newton.

—Mrs. D. F. Bunker and family have gone to Essex Mass.

—Miss E. B. Tyler has gone to Sea Cottage, York, Me., for a few weeks.

—Mr. E. S. Benedict and wife are at Columbia Cottage, Ocean Spray.

—Miss Herbert of Brooklyn, N. Y., is the guest of Mrs. H. C. Churchill.

—Prof. Thos. B. Lindsay and family are stopping at the Cliff House, Kennebunkport, Me.

—A sketch of the additions recently made to the Lasell Art Gallery will be found on the second page.

—Dr. H. L. Sanderson has rented his house in Riverside, and removed with his family to Scituate, Mass.

—The Methodist Sunday School enjoyed a delightful sail on the White Swan, and a picnic at Lily Point Grove, Thursday.

—All the students' rooms at Lasell have been engaged for the next year, and a Boston branch is contemplated, to accommodate the overflow.

—Mrs. Mary E. Whall of the firm of Bird & Whall, has sold out her interest in the business, and leaves on Saturday for Camden, N. J., to reside permanently.

—Mrs. M. E. Butler and Mr. Frank E. Butler, left with a party of friends on Tuesday for Cottage City, Mass. Mrs. Butler will remain throughout the season, having taken a cottage there.

—Miss Julia Pickard returned last Friday from an extended tour through the west, having spent some weeks in different parts of California and the large cities of the west. She has been away eight months.

—The Fourth passed very quietly with us. The usual blowing of horns, ringing of bells, etc., ushered in the day, disturbing the morning slumbers, but of the remainder of the day no one could complain of the disturbance; in the evening there were some fine displays of fireworks in different parts of the town.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Edwards and Miss Alice Edwards left on Wednesday for Hinsdale, Ill., to spend the summer, and where Miss Alice will be married on July 28, to Dr. Alfred Emerson, who has accepted a position as professor of music in the Miami University, Oxford, Ohio. We are sorry to lose Miss Edwards from Auburn-dale, but she goes with the best wishes of hosts of friends.

## The Boat Club Concerts.

The last of the series of concerts given under the auspices of the Newton Boat Club, occurred last Saturday evening at the Boat House. The grounds and the building were very prettily decorated with lanterns of all descriptions. The moon made the evening perfect and a cool breeze freshened the air wonderfully. Rollinson's orchestra furnished music.

Nearly one hundred people floating by in light canoes and pretty row boats enjoyed the music and the beauty of the river. Dancing was attempted, but on account of the heat failed to attract many. These concerts have proved so popular that it is intended to have an other series in September. The club is in a very flourishing condition, and should be congratulated upon its successful attempt to add attractions to this favorite resort.

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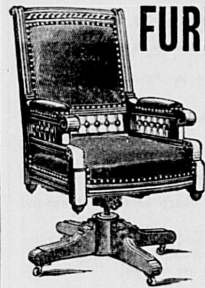
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A new industry for women is beginning to evolve itself in New York, which may yet do much toward solving the vexed servant girl question. Some three months ago a woman of a good old New York family, educated and capable, left a widow without money, and having served no apprenticeship to any of the industries by which women earn bread and butter, began to think of putting her pride in her pocket and turning her notable housekeeping talents to account by looking for service in a family as cook.

Considering the matter further, it occurred to her that she could do better. Securing with some little effort, the project being a novel one, a chantage of half a dozen families in her immediate neighborhood that were growing under despondency, induced by "light housekeeping," she began to send out, three times a day, delicately cooked and daintily served meals. Her venture was so immediately successful that she looked up a New England housekeeper and a couple of staid, middle-aged girls to help her, and her business sprang, almost in a single night, to the utmost dimensions that she could handle.

She has twenty-one families on her list at present, I think, to whom she supplies just that wholesome round of breakfasts, lunches and dinners that the average housemother would offer to husband and little folks. Fruit in season, in the morning, oatmeal or wheaten grits, fish, steak or chops; a side dish, such as steamed kidneys, sausage, liver and bacon, eggs; coffee, tea or chocolate, bread and butter, milk and sugar. Soup, fish, a roast, three vegetables, dessert, and coffee make up the dinner, all of which is sent out at a cost of \$7 a week to a single person, \$5 each for members of families, though as what is supplied for two is sufficient for three, the cost per household is not reckoned in multiples of that sum. In a way the experiment is divided among a number of families, purchases for all being made together, the labor for all systematized and simplified, and the waste of all minimized, the result being that each family saves nearly the full amount of its cook's wages, and is freed from the tyranny of Castle Garden besides.

Two other women, emulous of the first, talk of starting similar enterprises. The scheme is in its infancy, but whenever a sufficient number of families within a radius of a block or two as near the great flat houses, can be interested in it, it has promise of an opening for an industry for women and of relief from divers perplexities for the families they serve.—[Eliza Putnam Heaton, in Brooklyn Times.

## The Woman Suffrage Bazaar.

To the friends of Woman Suffrage:—

The success of the Massachusetts Woman Suffrage Bazaar of 1886 warrants another for 1887. This year the New England Woman Suffrage Association invites the friends of any and all the states and territories to co-operate with them in a bazaar for national purposes. The Western States especially are calling upon the treasury of the American Woman Suffrage Association for money to help them.

By the bazaar of 1886, in three months' time, we put \$6,378.75 into the state treasury. The west can furnish legislation if the east will furnish a part of the money needed. We shall try to do it, for their success is ours. We want more Kansas victories.

The bazaar will be held in Music Hall and Burnside Hall, Boston, December 12-19, 1887. The basis of division is as follows: Each state will receive for its own state treasury 50 per cent. of the net receipts from its own donations; the other 50 per cent. will be put into the American treasury, to be used, at their discretion, in carrying municipal suffrage bills and constitutional amendments in any of the states or territories.

Please assure us of your co-operation by letter to our headquarters, 5 Park street. On the first of September we shall move into beautiful rooms at 3 Park street. We invite and expect all friends of this movement in the country to make these rooms their headquarters whenever they are in Boston. Come and see us.

Chairman Executive Committee N. E. W. S. A., 5 Park street, Boston. July 1, 1887.

## Miscellaneous.

The Empress of Japan expects to visit the United States in October. She will land in San Francisco, come East by way of Salt Lake, Omaha and Chicago, and return in two months by the southern route. The Empress will be accompanied by a retinue of twenty persons. This will be glad news to our common councilmen.—Boston Post.

The Queen's English, the dean's English and the newspaper English have received full attention. Why, asks the Quincy Herald, should not railroad English come in for a share? Passing by the unintelligible shout with which the brakeman reconfuses the other noises of the train, we can find some choice selections, meant not for the ear but for the eye. For example, it is within the memory of the oldest inhabitant and many of his juniors that a prominent railroad company issued its pocket time table with the "arrival at the station in Boston." Another company plants signboards near crossings with the alarming admonition: "Notice to the public: All persons are reminded of the danger in, and are hereby forbid walking upon, the track or roadbed of this railroad company. After reading that the most intelligent tramp would be too much bewildered to get any benefit from it before the next train ran him down.—Boston Post.

The Rev. Mr. Sticker, D.D.—So you don't think I practise what I preach, deacon? Deacon Kicker—Well, considering that you have been preaching on the subject of resignation for the last forty-five years, I don't quite think you do.—Tid-Bits.

A day's work. Tired wife—John, I've been bending over this wash tub ever since 4 o'clock this morning, except the time I took to get the meals, and it is now night. I wish you'd go around the corner and buy a couple of coals. Husband—It's five minutes to 8 o'clock, and I must be at that labor meetin' at 8. T. W.—More meetings! What is this one for? H.—We're goin' to strike for eight hours.—Puck.

Our inventive Yankee friends must look to their laurels. The Chinese, it is said, are making a delicious cheese—superior, even, to the German Limburger—out of green peas and beans, while in Brazil monkeys are employed by the enterprising

native in farming hemp. Cannot some New England genius devise a way to make—say, the great American eagle—dig bait for our fisherman, and so circumvent the obstinate and truculent Canadian. Any way in which the supremacy of American cunning may be maintained will be acceptable.—N. Y. Post.

—St. Peter—"Who knocks?" Heathen—"One whom the missionary has snatched from the burning." St. Peter—"What missionary?" Heathen—"One from Andover, Mass." St. Peter—"Please take a seat for a while on the brush heap to the left of the gate. I can't tell until the Andover controversy is settled whether you are saved or damned.—[The Independent.

—"I can't come now, maw," said the high school girl, when her mother called her to assist in some household duties; "as I wish to finish reading 'The Model Daughter; or, a Happy Marriage,' and then I must commence work on my graduating essay, 'The Duty Children Owe to Their Parents.'"—[Norristown Herald.

—An authority on canned goods reveals the interesting fact that most of the jellies in the market are made of apple parings and cores. Sometimes the stock is kept so long that it will not make jelly; then they make strained honey out of it.—[Medical and Surgical Reporter.

## The High School Review.

Those who wish to understand the work done in the High School, the influences that surround the pupils, and the general tone of thought in the school, will derive substantial aid from perusing the High School Review, whose last number for the year was issued this week. It is an enterprise entirely in the hands of the pupils, with no assistance or censorship from the teachers or school board, and yet the Review is remarkable for the dignified tone of its discussion of school topics, and the natural, easy style of the articles. The magazine has attracted a good deal of attention from prominent educators, and received the highest commendation from them. The training that its editors and contributors gain is not one of the least valuable advantages of our High School, for ability to write clearly, forcibly and naturally is one of the greatest accomplishments a young man or woman can have, and one that will prove most valuable to them in after life.

The June number of the Review contains the history of the class of '87, which has been kindly furnished the Graphic for republication; reports of Decoration Day, the Lyceum, the Mock Trial, the Battalion Review, the High School Chorus, the Battalion Trouble, a letter from Alamo City by a recent graduate, editorials and a full assortment of minor articles, which make up an excellent number, and it should be placed in the hands of all who wish to gain a fair idea of the High School.

## Your House on Fire.

Not the house of wood, or brick, or stone, in which you live, but your bodily tenement may be in terrible danger from smouldering fire which you make no effort to quench. The great danger from impure blood is that it debilitates the system, and the digestive organs grow weak and inactive. Hood's Sarsaparilla combines the best kidney and liver invigorators, with the best alteratives and tonics, all from the vegetable kingdom, carefully and understandingly prepared in a concentrated form. It purifies, vitalizes, and enriches the blood, and tones up the system, giving the whole body vitality and effectually guarding it against the attacks of disease.

—A four-year-old devotee enjoyed a special season of devotion the other night, in which she thanked God for making the violets and the dandelions, detailed her naughtiness for the season past, stated that she was taking her powders very nice now, and after sundry other prayerful confidences, sprang gleefully up from her knees with "How's that for a prayer!"—[Boston Commonwealth.

They are looking for you every where. Drafts of air in unexpected places, going from hot rooms to cool ones, carelessness in changing clothing.—In short anything which ends in a "common cold in the head." Unless arrested this kind of a cold becomes seated in the mucous membrane of the head. Then it is Catarrh. In any and all its stages this disease always yields to Ely's Cream Balm. Safe, agreeable, certain. Price fifty cents.

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Nobody uses ordinary soap now they can get "Lenox."

## A Common Cold.

Is often the beginning of serious affections of the Throat, Bronchial Tubes, and Lungs. Therefore, the importance of early and effective treatment cannot be overestimated. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral may always be relied upon for the speedy cure of a Cold or Cough.

Last January I was attacked with a severe Cold, which, by neglect and frequent exposures, became worse, finally settling on my lungs. A terrible cough soon followed, accompanied by pains in the chest, from which I suffered intensely. After trying various remedies, without obtaining relief, I commenced taking Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, and was

## Speedily Cured.

I am satisfied that this remedy saved my life.—Jno. Webster, Pawtucket, R. I.

I contracted a severe cold, which suddenly developed into Pneumonia, presenting dangerous and obstinate symptoms. My physician at once ordered the use of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. His instructions were followed, and the result was a rapid and permanent cure.—H. E. Simpson, Rogers Prairie, Texas.

Two years ago I suffered from a severe Cold which settled on my Lungs. I consulted various physicians, and took the medicines they prescribed, but received only temporary relief. A friend induced me to try Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. After taking two bottles of this medicine I was cured. Since then I have given the Pectoral to my children, and consider it

## The Best Remedy

for Colds, Coughs, and all Throat and Lung diseases, ever used in my family.—Robert Vanderpool, Mendon, Pa. Some time ago I took a slight Cold, which, being neglected, grew worse, and settled on my lungs. I had a hacking cough, and was very weak. Those who knew me best considered my life to be in great danger. I continued to suffer until I commenced using Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. In one bottle of this valuable medicine I was cured, and I feel that I owe the preservation of my life to its curative powers.—Mrs. Ann Lockwood, Akron, New York.

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is considered, here, the one great remedy for all diseases of the throat, chest, lungs, and is more in demand than any other medicine of its class.—J. F. Roberts, Magnolia, Ark.

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**NEWTON CENTRE.**

—Gas mains are being laid to the new Baptist church.

Mr. Harry Bates is spending his vacation in Duxbury, Mass.

—J. F. Morton will attend the Chataqua meetings next week.

—Mr. G. W. Cobb and family are going to Rutland, Mass., for the summer.

—Mrs. J. F. Francis has gone to Magnolia to remain until November 1st.

—There are twenty-nine students in the Hebrew summer school.

—Fred Hovey and George Warren are at home from Brown University.

—Mr. E. H. Fennessy and family are at their summer home at Cottage City.

—Maurice Wildes and W. E. Parsons took the entrance examinations at Harvard College.

—The asphalt sidewalk is being extended on Warren street, to S. H. Gooch's residence.

—Mr. George Capron has bought a lot of land on Beacon street for \$3,000 from Hon. R. R. Bishop.

—Mr. Charles Bennett, who was prostrated by the heat last Sunday, has quite recovered.

—Miss Chipman, of Hartford, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Paul, and will remain for the summer.

—Miss Emma Dunbar, who has just recovered from lung fever, will spend her vacation at Ayer Junction.

—Crystal Lake has been a very popular resort during the beautiful moonlight evenings of last week.

—The Rev. J. J. Peck is supplying for a few Sundays the pulpit for the Still River church in Harvard, Mass.

—Mr. B. P. Shillaber (Mrs. Partington) is spending a few days with his daughter, Mrs. Clements, Warren street.

—Mr. J. R. Leeson and family are at Clarendon Springs for a few weeks, for the benefit of Mrs. Leeson's health.

—Mr. A. A. Sherman is somewhat improved in health, and will take a vacation of a few weeks from business cares.

—Miss G. P. Buckman, teacher in the grammar school, is spending her three months vacation in Yarmouth, Maine.

—Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Lawrence leave next week for Seal Harbor, Mt. Desert. Miss Lawrence is spending a few weeks with college friends in Enfield, N. H.

—Rev. Mr. Strong, of Beverly and his young wife are visiting their uncle, Mr. W. C. Strong. They will also spend a short time with Rev. Mr. Strong, of Auburndale.

—Mr. A. C. Walworth is making extensive additions and alterations to his residence on Centre street. The carpenter work is being done by S. D. Garey.

—At the Baptist church Sunday, Rev. D. A. W. Smith, D. D., of Bangor, Me., (son of Dr. S. F. Smith), gave interesting and encouraging facts regarding missionary work.

—Miss Sarah E. Ellery of New York is spending a few days with Mrs. W. Thorpe. She is a lineal descendant of Wm. Ellery, one of the famous signers of the declaration of Independence.

—A new curbing is to be laid around the sidewalk in front of the post office, extending to the corner of Beacon street. This has long been needed, and will be a great improvement.

—The high wind on Monday night prevented the proposed illumination of boats, but it is hoped to have the illumination later. An account of the day's proceedings will be found on the second page.

—There is a complaint in this village that the night policemen do not attend to their duty. They are seen spending a good deal of their time at the railroad station. If the report is true something should be done to remedy the evil.

—A week or two ago Mr. W. E. Webster's valuable setter dog, Prince, was overcome by the heat. It had followed the hired man to Watertown, and after returning showed symptoms of a severe sunstroke. Mrs. Dr. Bates attended to the sufferer and by careful treatment restored it to health. The dog is a great pet and all feel rejoiced at its recovery.

—Mr. B. W. Whitman of the Hebrew school will act as pastor for the Upper Falls Baptist Church. At the opening of the autumn term he will become a member of the junior class on the "Hill." Mr. Whitman graduated at Brown University in June with the highest honors of his class. He brings to his work at Newton talent and training of a high order.

—The private hospital by Mrs. Dr. Bates is filled with patients, and she has applications for more than can be accommodated. Some of the ladies come from as far west as Iowa and Kentucky. A number of critical cases have been treated with great success, and one noteworthy fact is that the surgical operations are performed entirely by lady physicians, Drs. Macey and Homer only visiting the hospital occasionally for consultation.

—Mr. S. C. Haskell and family left last week for St. Paul, Minn., where they will make their home for the future. Mr. Haskell becoming a partner in an iron and stove house in that city. Mrs. Haskell received remembrances of considerable value from the ladies of the Home Missionary Society, of which she was a member, and also a handsome writing desk from her Sunday school class. The GRAPHIC loses with regret an able and valued correspondent in Mrs. Haskell, as for several years she has looked after the Newton Centre news and made it one of the best departments of the paper. It is hoped that the family will find prosperity and happiness in their new home, and Mrs. Haskell has promised to continue as an occasional correspondent.

—Mr. J. Frank Makee of the Charles Ward Post was in line with his old regiment, the First Rhode Island Infantry, at the celebration on July Fourth. The occasion of this reunion of veterans and the general attendance of the militia of the state was the unveiling of the equestrian statue of Major-General Burnside in Exchange place, Providence, at the easterly end facing the square, the City Hall and the soldiers' monument. This monument

is of bronze, and represents the hero as seated on his horse, with a field glass in hand. It was erected by the gifts of the state, the Grand Army and citizens, at an expense of about \$40,000, and is given as an honor due "the most conspicuous soldier by whom Rhode Island was represented in the conduct of the Civil War," and who is to be ranked only after Greene and Perry in the long list of war heroes, whom, from the beginning of her history, Rhode Island has produced or made her own.

—People who are going away for the summer can have the GRAPHIC sent to them for 25 cents a month, three months for 50 cents, and the address will be changed as often as desired.

**CHESTNUT HILL.**

—Mrs. Daniel Coffin and son of New York city are the guests of Mrs. C. A. Kingsbury.

—"The Fourth" was well observed by the youthful patriots from midnight till late evening with the usual fizz and bang, with the tooting and shouting, etc. All returned home at night safe, sound and sober.

—Miss Edith Page has made quite a successful experiment with wild strawberries. Last season she had a number of plants transplanted from the fields into a bed; this season the yield of sweet, though small strawberries has been early and abundant. She is as successful with flowers as with fruits, as those beautiful white lilies at the chapel last Sunday testified.

**NEWTON HIGHLANDS.**

—Mrs. M. J. Blank is seriously ill at her residence on Cook street.

—Miss Anthony is with Mrs. Robbins, her aunt, for a short visit.

—Miss Anthony, daughter of Prof. Anthony of Cornell, is visiting Mrs. Moses Crane.

—Miss Lydia Webster, who teaches in North Carolina, has returned for the summer.

—Miss Gertrude Crane has successfully passed the entrance examinations for Cornell University.

—Mrs. W. K. Bacall and family have moved into the Eldredge house, lately purchased by her.

—Mr. C. P. Clark, Jr., is at Brownfield Me., and not at Broomfield, N. H., as in the GRAPHIC of last week.

—Mr. E. Harrison Lovewell of Wellesley, will be organist at the Congregational church next Sabbath.

—Mr. Erastus Gott of Newtonville has moved into his new house, on the extension of Lincoln street.

—Mr. Charles E. Clarke, of Hillside avenue, for many years a workman at Crane's factory, has been ill for some weeks.

—R. D. Morse, Jr., formerly of Newton Highlands, was among the "honorary men" of the recent graduating class of Yale University.

—E. Fewkes & Son took premiums on their display of Delphiniums and Salpiglossus at the monthly flower show of the Horticultural Society in Boston last Saturday.

—Mr. Grenville C. Emery of the Boston Latin School will be busy most of the summer with some professional writing at his home here.

—Mr. Allison O. Swett and family have gone to Madison, N. H., where they have spent the summer for two or three years past.

—Mr. E. Moulton of Boston has purchased of Mr. W. F. Johnson his estate on Walnut street, and is occupying the same with his wife and two sons.

—Mr. Timothy Lane, for many years a resident of the Highlands, died quite suddenly on Saturday last of heart disease, at the age of sixty-four years.

—Mr. Gilbert Wright, draughtsman at the Pettie Machine Works, Upper Falls, and newly wedded wife, have taken up their residence in Mr. E. G. Pond's dwelling house on Floral place.

—The B. & A. railroad are painting the new fence erected lately near the new station, and now that the old station is gone, are finishing up the grading of the grounds. The driveway has also received a much needed top dressing.

—That old landmark, the stone blacksmith shop at the corner of Boylston and Woodward streets, is being taken down, and the stone will be used for the cellar wall of the Edmunds house. This shop was built in 1839 for Mr. Moses Crafts, with stone taken from a ledge on Dedham street.

—Independence Day has come and gone, and was much enjoyed, especially by our youngsters, who displayed a remarkable tenacity of purpose to have what they think to be a good time; but we are pleased to report no accidents. The display of fireworks and lanterns at Crystal Lake in the evening was very much enjoyed by all present.

—The Howard Clock company have finished their contract with Mr. M. G. Crane to put a clock in the Congregational church tower. After it has been properly regulated we can expect very correct time, as it is said to be a fine instrument. In a few days it will be known what the amount will be which will be needed to pay for the same. It is hoped that all will feel interested in the matter and be ready to give.

—The liabilities of Frederick N. Woodward, glue manufacturer, are about \$26,100, of which \$12,800 is secured. The unencumbered assets are as follows: Two horses, two sets of harnesses, two-horse wagon, two-horse cart, two-horse sled, 1-horse wagon, 500 drying frames, farming implements and \$500 of insurance money in the hands of E. R. Rand. The creditors are offered 10 cents on a dollar in composition.

**NEWTON UPPER FALLS.**

—Miss Mary Scott has gone to Mansfield for the summer.

—Miss Lizzie Jackman of Newburyport is stopping at Mr. Benjamin Newell's.

—Miss Sarah Stuntz is spending her vacation at her old home in Pennsylvania, after an absence of five years.

—Rev. E. A. Howard of Dedham will preach at the Methodist Church next Sunday at 10:30 a. m., in exchange with the pastor, Rev. J. Peterson.

—Miss Linda Nickelson, who has been away for a number of weeks, engaged in teaching at Hardwick, Mass., is back again.

She has been engaged to return to the same school another year.

—There are some cases of scarlet fever in the place. Miss Laura Dyson, daughter of the place, Miss Laura Dyson, is quite sick, and the only child of Mr. and Mrs. Chesley is very sick with this troublesome disease.

—The United States Fireworks Co. of this village furnished the display for the city of Boston this year, and the daily papers of that place speak in terms of high praise of their efforts, claiming it to be the best thing of the kind ever presented.

—The "Glorious Fourth" passed without anything of an extraordinary nature. The small boys (as well as some larger ones) commenced the operation of celebrating the memorable Declaration of Independence very early in the morning by the usual noise and uproar incident to the occasion, and did not allow their efforts to flag until late at night. There was the customary accompaniment of bell ringing at morning, noon and night, which added in no small degree to the general tumult. Many went to other places to enjoy the day. Some joined the procession of horridities at Highlandville in the early morning; about three boat loads of young ladies and young gentlemen celebrated the day by a picnic up the river. There was a game of ball for the amusement of the more conservative on Dudley's field in the forenoon, and in the evening a large number went to Newton Centre to view the display of fireworks. Altogether it was a busy day, and was as thoroughly commemorated as have been any of its predecessors.

**NEWTON LOWER FALLS.**

—A beautiful flag was displayed by the K. of L. of this place in front of Boyden Hall on July 4th.

—The shut-down of the Dudley Hosiery Mill on Friday and Saturday of last week was caused by taking account of stock.

—It was a very good idea on the part of the Fourth of July committee, that of circulating programs through the place stating the time of the various games and when they would be held.

—Only one accident is reported as the result of the use of powder here on the Fourth. A gentleman who was spending the day at Mr. E. Wetherbee's was so unfortunate as to lose a part of his finger by the explosion of a cracker.

—On the forenoon of the Fourth a dense smoke was seen issuing from a tenement in Dolan's block, and an alarm was quickly rung in from box 5. The fire was caused by an over-heated stove, but was so promptly discovered that no serious damage was done.

—The glorious Fourth was appropriately observed by young and old, there being plenty of amusement and excitement for all. The sports, consisting of tub race and swimming match, foot races and sack race and a contest for a greased pig, followed by a game of base ball, were witnessed by a large gathering of people whose comfort and enjoyment were much increased by the cool and refreshing breeze which sprung up early in the day. In the evening a fine pyrotechnic display was given on Cate's Hill, and was attended by an even larger crowd than were the games of the morning.

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A very sharp, and not always impartial or well-founded, criticism upon American opinions and legislation.	
Agatha and The Shadow.	63,648
A romance of the early Pilgrim era in Massachusetts; intended to be true to historical facts, exhibiting much skill and dramatic power.	
Bigge C. Christian Platonists of Alexandria	93,498
This volume embodies the Dauntless Lectures for 1886, and has met with a very favorable reception in England and in this country.	
Bouton J. B. Roundabout to Moscow	33,353
A fresh volume of travels in Central and Northern Europe, written with much spirit and freshness of description.	
Birrell A. Obitary Dicta Vol. 2	52,324
Like its predecessor, this is a volume of very vigorous and suggestive essays.	
Bowen J. E. Conflict of East and West in Egypt.	83,141
An excellent discussion of a subject that is exciting attention at this moment among the leading powers of Europe.	
Curtis G. T. Creation or Evolution	103,436
An animated argument by a well-known lawyer in opposition to the evolution theory of creation.	
Freeman E. A. Methods of Historical Study.	56,260
Freeman E. A. Chief Periods of European History.	74,178
Two valuable additions to the literature of history by the able Oxford Professor.	
Gilmore J. R. John Sevier, or a Commonwealth Builder.	73,173
A very interesting episode in our history, occurring just after the war of the Revolution in North Carolina—the "first secession"—and a sketch of a remarkable man.	
Hannington, Bishop J. Life and Work	94,395
This life is written by an intimate friend, E. C. Dawson. It is one of the most remarkable records of modern times of Christian heroism. Bishop Hannington was a Church of England missionary in Northeast Africa, and fell a noble martyr to his earnest zeal.	
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Every way a charming work. Every reader of the volumes of his biography will be eager to peruse these letters. They cover the most fruitful era of the poet's life, and are full of characteristic vivacity and sweetness.	
Lozan J. A. Life and Services.	95,341
G. F. Dawson, the writer, has done ample justice to his subject, and made an interesting and instructive biography of one of the conspicuous figures of the civil war and in the senate.	
Marguerite d'Angoulême.	91,406
This is one of the interesting series of Famous Women, published by Roberts Brothers. The author, Miss A. M. F. Robinson, has given a very appreciative and somewhat apologetic sketch of her subject, and a good picture of French society at the era in which she acted so important a part.	
Stevens T. Around the World on a Bicycle.	34,277
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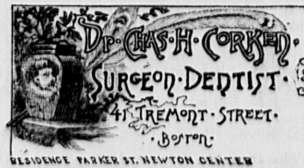
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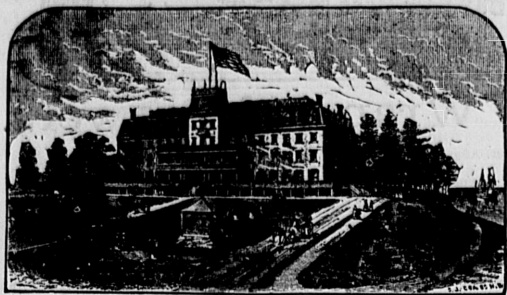
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—Mr. John Field is at Magnolia for the summer.  
—Mr. H. E. Hubbard and family are at St. Albans, Vt.  
—Mr. Chas. J. Bailey and family are at Sharon for the summer.  
—Mr. A. F. Cooke and family are at the Shirley House, Ocean Spray.  
—Mr. C. F. Brown and family are at Kennebunkport Beach, Me.  
—Mr. H. C. Sawin and family have gone to Chatham for the summer.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lawrence have a cottage at Brant Rock, Marshfield.  
—Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Atwood are at Franconia, N. H., for two weeks.  
—Mr. J. P. Cobb and wife are at Rogers' Rock, New York, for the summer.  
—The Misses Spear have gone to Centre Sandwich, N. H., for the summer vacation.  
—Mr. G. B. Paine and family are at the Hotel Naumkeag, Cottage City, for the season.

—Rev. Dr. Calkins left to-day (Friday,) for New York, and will sail for Europe tomorrow.

—A new concrete walk has been laid in front of the Free Library, which is a long needed improvement.

—Mr. A. A. Glines has just completed a fine crayon portrait of the children of Mr. H. S. Pierson of Auburndale.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Converse, Jr., are at the Mountain House, Cresson, Penn., for the remainder of the month.

—Rev. Mr. Nichols at the Methodist church next Sunday morning will preach on "Christian Life." In the evening his subject will be "Finding rest."

—Mr. Robert F. Cummings and family, and Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Bailey of Richardson street, have taken a cottage at Howe's Neck for the summer.

—The Newton Bicycle Club held its monthly meeting Tuesday evening at W. W. Stall's in Boston. A committee was appointed to arrange for road races, to take place in the near future.

—The Fuel and Street Light Committee have signed a contract with Albert Brackett, the only bidder, for 1500 tons of coal, to be put into the city coal bins within 60 days, at \$5.63 per ton.

—Miss Lizzie M. Rand, daughter of Mr. Chas. F. Rand, sailed in the Umbria from New York for Europe last Saturday, with Mrs. Foster of Jamaica Plain, and they will be absent about two months.

—Mrs. Dr. Field and Eliot Field will leave Hotel Pemberton next week for the Oak Hill House, Littleton, N. H., where they will remain for the summer. Dr. Field will probably follow them the latter part of the month.

—Mr. Chas. E. Eddy and family, Mr. Chas. A. Drew and family, and Mr. and Mrs. F. Rand, left to-day (Friday,) for the Parker House, Kennebunkport, Me. Mr. Rand will be absent only a few days, but the others will remain for several weeks.

—The Ford Boston Branch grocery store has been sold by W. Thorpe, business agent, to Messrs. Murray and Miles, experienced grocers, who will make arrangements to meet the wants of Newton people. See their advertisement in another column.

—Dr. J. F. Frisbie's birthday occurred this week, and when he returned from his round of visits, he found that a friend had improved the roll-top desk presented him by the Natural History society, by the addition of a handsome book-case, made expressly to fit it.

—Allen's Pond is being liberally patronized this summer, and lessons in the art of swimming are being given to ladies from Boston, Waltham, Auburndale, Lower Falls and other places. It is a remarkable fact that none of the places, not even Boston, offers facilities for learning the art of swimming.

—The electric light which the Electric Light and Power Company generously offered to place in Farlow Park free, provided the citizens would furnish the iron poles, will be put up as soon as the board of aldermen grant the right of way; the money for the poles has all been subscribed.

—An old gentleman was found wandering about the streets on Monday, giving evidence of an unsettled mind. He was taken in charge by the police, who found that he was John F. Clogston of Hyde Park. He was formerly a resident of this city, and carried on the express business for many years. His family was notified and Tuesday morning his wife came and took him home.

—Hon. Joseph Blumenthal and daughter and Dr. and Mrs. Mark Blumenthal of New York, who have been here for a few weeks visiting Dr. and Mrs. Frisbie, left to-day (Friday) for Portsmouth, Newcastle and the Isle of Shoals, on their way to the White Mountains to spend the summer. The visitors were enthusiastic over the beauties of Newton, which they thought was the most charming city they had visited on either side of the Atlantic.

—A Boston paper announces that Miss Shannon of Newton, a connection of Mr. Charles T. How, has a valuable mineral spring on her land on Mt. Desert street, Bar Harbor, which is to be opened to the public next week. Arrangements are to be made for delivering the water to parties wishing a daily supply of it through the season. In the absence of Miss Shannon, who will not be at Bar Harbor until later in the season, Mr. A. W. Bee, the well-known stationer of Tremont street, who has a branch establishment at Bar Harbor, is to manage the business.

—The Calfskin club, of which Officer Henthorne is a member, went on its tenth annual fishing trip Wednesday. It is composed of police officials and railroad men of Boston and Cambridge, and is noted for its jolly parties. Captain Richardson and Charles Hurd were the other Newton men who went on this trip, and the steamer anchored off Baker's Island, where they had great sport in catching sculpins. One of the party caught forty, he said, but it is needless to add that he did not bring them home. On the way home the party stopped at Hotel Pemberton, on invitation of

Landlord Balch, and enjoyed the attractions of that famous resort.

—Mrs. A. F. Arnold and family have gone to Wayland, Mass., for the summer.

—I. T. Farwell has taken a position in Hurd's express office.

—Mr. W. B. Whittier and family are at Waterford, Me.

—Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Bacon will remain at Magnolia until August.

—Mrs. M. T. Goddard has gone to Bass Rocks, Gloucester, for the summer.

—Mrs. J. A. Conkey is at the Bayside, North Weymouth, for a few weeks.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Brazier arrived home on Tuesday from their trip to the Azores.

—Mrs. C. B. Prescott and family are at their summer residence at Wianno, Oysterville.

—Judge Gardner, it is reported, is improving in health and is now able to have letters read to him.

—The Nonantum Cycle club have an important committee meeting next Monday evening.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Cate have returned from a visit to the Appledore House, Isle of Shoals.

—William Farquhar and Robert Farquhar have gone to Waterville, N. H., to spend the summer.

—Rev. Mr. Titus will remain at home this summer, with the exception of occasional short vacation trips.

—Mr. George S. Downs and wife are attending the Chautauqua Assembly at Lake View, South Framingham.

—The Knights of Honor will have a union excursion to Downer Landing August 10th, in which the Newton lodges will probably join.

—Tuesday evening the officers of Lafayette Lodge, No. 31, I. O. O. F. of Watertown, were installed by District Deputy W. S. French and suite.

—Mr. George S. Harwood and Mr. S. A. D. Sheppard and their families left to-day for Portland, Maine, where they go on a yachting trip of a few days.

—Rev. Mr. Hornbroke went to Niagara Falls on Monday, joining one of the Raymond excursions, but is expected home Saturday evening, and will preach at Channing church on Sunday.

—Herbert S. Potter left Thursday morning for Holderness, N. H., where he will spend three or four weeks in camping out with Mr. DeMerritte of the Berkley School and a number of young friends.

—The steam roller has been at work on Vernon street most of the week, and judging from the amount of stone put in, the road bed will be in first-class condition.

—Mr. Henry H. Linder, son of the late George Linder of this city, died on Friday, and the funeral services were held at Grace church on Monday, Rev. Dr. Shinn officiating. The burial was in the Newton cemetery.

—Rev. Dr. Furber of Newton Centre will preach at Eliot Hall Sunday morning, and Rev. Mr. Wilson of Watertown in the evening. During the rest of the summer the regular choir has a vacation and there will be congregational singing at the services.

—The Newton Boat Club have a meeting this (Friday) evening at 7:45, to discuss an amendment to the by-laws, at the club house at Riverside. The club book will soon be published, and members whose names are not printed there correctly, should notify the secretary.

—The new officers of the Pilgrim Nonantum Colony were installed Monday evening. There were two changes in the list given last week. G. S. Woodbridge was made collector and J. E. Henthorne was made sergeant-at-arms. The exercises were conducted by members from the Natick colony.

—So many ladies have gone away that the flower mission is suffering both from lack of flowers and from assistants to help arrange them. Any who have the time to spare will be welcomed at the depot on Tuesdays and Fridays from 7:30 to 9:30, and it is hoped that the Newton people who remain at home will not forget the need of flowers to sustain this worthy charity.

—Rev. George S. Butters of Newtonville made a touching address at the Y. M. C. A. meeting last Sunday, taking the "Prodigal Son" for a basis of his remarks. Next Sunday Rev. H. L. Hastings, who has just returned from England, will give us one of his most stirring addresses; he has looked into the labor question and other questions touching the welfare of his fellow men, and something interesting may be expected.

—Frank C. Partridge returned from the great Saratoga Convention of Young People's Societies of Christian Endeavor last Monday evening. Some 2200 delegates were present from all parts of the country. New England sending 450 alone. The services were interesting from beginning to end. At one of the devotional meetings 117 participated in the course of one half hour. Excursions were indulged in after the convention, taking in Lake George, McGregor, etc. Chicago holds the next convention.

—The Springfield Republican says that "Rev. H. L. Hastings, editor of the Christian, has returned from journeying over Great Britain, having traveled some 10,000 miles in seven months, lecturing by the way against infidelity. He has aimed to work the common people of England, who are drawn away by infidel lectures and papers to a greater degree than the people of our country. One of Mr. Hastings's addresses, on the inspirations of the scriptures, has been translated into six or eight languages, and is in its seventh hundred thousand." Mr. Hastings has also occupied a very prominent place in Mr. Moody's Convention at Northfield as one of its chief speakers. He is to speak in Newton next Sunday at 4 p. m. on the bank grounds, and is a lively and powerful speaker. The Ashman Band which furnishes the music at these meetings proves to be the Ashman family, father, two daughters and son, and their playing is a marked feature of these meetings, drawing large crowds to hear their attractive music.

With a live speaker and splendid music these meetings must grow.

—Mr. Henry Brooks and family are spending the summer at Magnolia.

—The daughters of Mr. George Thomas are in St. Johns, New Brunswick.

—Mr. M. P. Springer and family are spending the summer in Nova Scotia.

—Mr. F. G. Davis and family have closed their house and are at Hotel Hunnewell.

—Mr. J. C. Elms and family have gone to Clifton Beach to spend the summer.

—Mr. J. P. Treadwell and family sailed for Europe from New York last Saturday.

—S. F. Chapin and G. H. Fisher have returned from a two weeks visit to Bellows Falls, Vt.

—Mrs. J. T. Burns left to-day (Friday) for a two months' visit to Hampton, New Brunswick.

—George Simpson, who has been spending a few weeks with his brothers in this village, has gone to Chicago.

—It is understood that the family of Judge Gardner hope to sail from Liverpool for home the last of this month.

—There were twelve car-loads on the parish picnic of the Church of Our Lady, to Highland Lake Grove to-day.

—Mr. Williamson and family of Baltimore have moved into the house on the corner of Arlington and Pembroke streets, formerly occupied by Mrs. Lovejoy.

## The Newton Club.

The Newton club is now fairly under way, the constitution and by-laws having been adopted at the meeting on Wednesday evening, and the officers elected. The by-laws limit the membership to 250, and provide for the conduct of the club, which is not to be in any sense a political organization, but solely a social club, where men from all parts of the city can meet together. It will prove of great benefit to Newton and tend to unite the different centres of population more closely, as the residents become better acquainted. There were 112 members present at the meeting, and 42 applications were referred to the election committee. The officers chosen were as follows:

President—Hon. R. M. Pulsifer.  
Vice-Presidents—Hon. Wm. Clafin, Hon. Robert R. Bishop, Hon. I. T. Burr and Hon. Levi C. Wade.  
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Election Committee—Lewis E. Coffin, George L. Lovett, Henry C. Churchill, Harry W. Mason, Sydney Harwood, Frederic L. Felton, James W. French, George F. Churchill, Austin R. Mitchell.

## Resolutions.

At a meeting of the members of the Newton Common Council of the years 1882 and 1883, holden at City Hall on Tuesday, the 12th inst., for the purpose of taking action on the death of their associate, Frederick W. Freeman, the following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, That we have, with the profoundest sorrow, learned of the death of Frederick W. Freeman, with whom we were associated during the years 1882 and 1883; that we recognize in his death the loss of one who was thoroughly identified with the promotion of the best interests of the community, and one who possessed qualities of heart and mind that endeared him to all with whom he was brought into contact.

Resolved, That while we realize that to the bereaved and sorrowing family our words may seem empty and devoid of comfort, we nevertheless hasten to tender our sincere sympathy to the stricken wife and children, and to express our high regard and esteem for the departed, as a man, an associate, and friend.

## List of Letters

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—First Young Lady—"Who are those people you bowed to, Mamie?" Second Ditto—"Oh, don't you know them? That's Mrs. Montalembert and her husband." "Have they any children?" "Why, Hattie! what an idea! No, indeed! They are real stylish people!"—[Boston Transcript.

—At Lapeer, Michigan, they strew bread smeared with poisoned butter about the streets for the purpose of getting away with unwary dogs. The dogs don't take to it half so readily as the children, however, and a child-muzzling ordinance is talked of.—[Chicago News.



## TO THE GIRLS.

MISS A. M. BEECHER BEGINS A SERIES OF PRACTICAL TALKS.

Editor of the GRAPHIC:

Will you let me write through your columns two or three brief letters to my "class-mates," and all the rest of my young friends in the city of Newton? If so I will commence now, and write as I can find time, and you can publish as you have space.

My Dear Girls:—Will you bear with, and listen to an old woman who has had "experience." No doubt you are tired to death with all the "experience" of all the old women you know, but wait a minute and let us see what this much vaunted "experience" is. What, but the memory of all sorts of follies and mistakes! So, when we talk to you of our experiences, we simply, for the most part, confess to you that in the past of our lives we have committed follies, been guilty of imprudences, have acted in the unwisdom incident to the lack of tuition from that most excellent teacher, whose services appear to be so inexpensive, but which do cost so much before we are ready to graduate. We confess too, that if we are wiser, it is because we have suffered the inevitable effects of these follies, and if we give you the benefit, it is because, knowing the law, we would in all kindness and love signal you that in the apparently placid stream of life there are rocks and breakers ahead.

Now, in order to make our experiences, i. e. our confessions, available to you, let us consider the fact of the immutability of law in general, and the absolute certainty of effect following cause. No one now disputes these facts, and no one doubts that all things are worked under law as immutably, as unchanging, and unchangeable as the author of law, otherwise chaos were constantly imminent. No dependence could be placed upon anything, and there could be no certainty in any of the transactions of life. This we consciously or unconsciously recognize, and upon this we proceed in the most important as in the most unimportant affairs that occupy us. We expect day to follow night, we expect the succession of the seasons in their order. When we plant beans we do not look for a crop of potatoes, and when we plant potatoes we are not surprised if we do not gather succotash. We look for the law of growth to act in the same manner in the same conditions. We expect eating and drinking, i. e. the administration of proper nourishment in a proper manner, to promote growth in man, animal and plant. Uniformity is the law, and law is inexorable, immutable. Law cannot be broken. We may attempt to thwart its working, we may essay to dodge it, but it works on as heedless of our puny efforts at its subversion, as though we did not exist. We laugh at the man who attempts to overcome the law of gravitation, and thinks to come safely to the ground from an eminence by the counter force of his will. We teach children that the law of caloric will work on irrespective of consequences, and that therefore the proper thing to do is to let fire and heated bodies alone. Children of a larger growth need also to learn the absolute power of law. In short we all need to know that we may do ourselves great harm by attempting to impinge upon the laws that inhere in everything through all the seasons of life and nature, and which must govern and control, but we cannot change or subvert them. In spite of form, of fashion, of choice they move on. Despite the protests of the whole Grundy family they hasten to their legitimate results. Not even for the nicest girl in Newton will they pause in their working; no, not even will they listen for one moment to her superior wisdom. Too bad of course, but so it is! Did you ever try it? How did you come out? I know what you say. I've heard many a one say when reproved for a violation of law: "Pshaw! I've done it all my life, and it never hurt me."

Remember one thing in this connection, viz: The life is not yet all lived, and all the functions of soul, mind and body are so adjusted to each other, and work in such wonderful relations and interdependencies, that the most skilled observer is often puzzled in tracing effects directly to causes, since the effect may and often does seem to be quite removed from the real cause.

Having accepted the demonstrated facts that Nature's laws are absolute, and inviolable, and that adequate cause is always followed by legitimate results, let us see what are some of the laws that inhere in, and govern us, and what will be the inevitable consequence of any attempt to thwart the normal working. Being responsible, because intelligent, and possessed of reason and will, we must be prepared to meet our responsibilities. We must be convinced that though we may attempt to butt down a solid wall with our heads, should a headache supervene, and the wall remain intact, it is only because the wall is stronger than our heads backed by our wilfulness, and the wiser thing to do, is to accept the assurance of previous experimenters, and not try it.

I will not go largely into detail but only appeal to your intelligence, reason and self-respect in a few points, as they relate to a possible healthy organism. I will call the topic, How to be well and consequently happy and beautiful, and when you are older, if not now, you will write me your friend.

A. M. BEECHER

## Missionaries Needed.

[Boston Post.]

The want of sanitary knowledge which allows a town to introduce a liberal water supply without accompanying draining facilities is, it would seem, behind the times in essential intelligence on a very important subject, for it is only a question of time when the blessing of abundant water becomes a curse. Yet one sees such folly perpetrated in an open-handed manner in civilized Massachusetts, where even the police and firemen have been freely instructed in hygiene and emergency lectures. It would seem that missionaries from the Massachusetts Society of Emergency and Hygiene were sadly needed in the towns and villages of Massachusetts to teach the Gospel and first principles of healthful living.

## THE BISHOP'S SERMON.

AND HOW IT MADE THE CURATE A VICAR.

I am aware that my great success in life has been a matter of surprise to many of my acquaintances, who, judging me from the fact that I took merely a poll degree at Cambridge, and knowing that I possessed neither influence nor exceptional abilities, deem that my fortunes have far exceeded my deserts. I am not ignorant that there are some, even among my warmest friends, who hint that the means by which I obtained my advancement and happiness were not altogether creditable to me. It is in order to refute these imputations and clear away any mystery that surrounds the matter, that I have resolved to relate the following narrative. For the benefit of those not acquainted with me, I may here state that I am in possession of one of the richest livings in England, and also of a wife of very great attractiveness; and, without fear respecting their decision, I shall leave all candid readers to determine whether I employed any dishonorable means in order to obtain either of those—it were idle to disguise the fact—good things.

When I became curate to Rev. Herbert Jones, vicar of Cloverfield, though still young, I had lost almost all hope of preferment. It was my third curacy; but my ambition, which for some time had lain dormant, was again roused by the vicar's lovely and amiable daughter. Fanny was an only child, and when I first saw her had just reached her 20th year. I fell in love; but the noblest lady in the land could scarcely have seemed further removed from me. As I have said, I had no prospects, and the vicar, though not wealthy, mingled on terms of equality with the surrounding county families, among whom, with good reason, both he and his wife expected a suitable match for their charming daughter. Though she could not fail to be conscious of the sentiments I entertained toward her, for I confess I made them manifest, Fanny did not in any way encourage my advances, and, indeed, encouragement on her part would only have been cruel coquetry or folly, as she understood as well as myself the seemingly impassable gulf that divided us. The unvarying amiability of her conduct toward me, however, kept alive the passion I cherished, and fed my hopes scarcely less than actual professions of love.

I had been two years in Cloverfield when the rector of the neighboring parish of Sheppington died. The living was in the gift of the bishop, and, though it was a poor one, it would have amply satisfied my ambition could I but have spent the remainder of my days in the quiet parsonage with her I loved. At the same time, not far from us, another living was vacant, of a very different kind, that of Slopston Wold, one of the richest in the country. The patron was our squire, Sir Peter Surlyman. Sir Peter was a hard-riding, hard-drinking country gentleman, but he was a sound church-man, a regular church-goer, a good authority on ecclesiastical matters, stranger still, a lover of eloquent preaching, and an admirable critic of a sermon. Now our bishop, as is well known, had the reputation of being one of the most eloquent living pulpits orators, and being desirous of obtaining the living of Slopston Wold for his brother, a country rector with a moderate income and a large family, he had made an arrangement with Mr. Jones that he should preach at Cloverfield, while Sir Peter was at home and dine with the baronet afterward at the vicarage, when he intended to urge his brother's claims. Though no actual negotiations had yet passed between them, the persons chiefly concerned understood the matter perfectly. Sir Peter knew why the bishop was coming to Cloverfield; he greatly admired his eloquence and was willing to accede to his wishes, as there was no one upon whom he especially wished to confer his valuable patronage.

That the sequel may be better understood, I must here make a short digression on the subject of my own sermons. Among the slanders already referred to is the report which has reached my ears, that I do not write my own sermons; it has even been said by some that I buy them—statements, I need hardly say, which are false. I do not, however, claim entire originality for my sermons. I have an extensive theological library, filled with the works of many of our greatest divines, and I am accustomed to draw freely upon their thoughts and even their language; but the selection, arrangement, combination, and many illustrations are entirely my own. My sermons are carefully written out by me, and I consider my claim to them is at least as strong as that of the authors of much of our original literature to their productions. I may add that I possess considerable elocutionary powers, which I have carefully cultivated, and that I was thought by many to be second to the gentleman who obtained the reading prize in the chapel at my college in Cambridge.

The day of the bishop's sermon arrived, and Sir Peter had accepted the invitation to meet him at dinner at the vicarage. The bishop was to preach in the morning, and as the vicar had a cold I was to conduct the services in the afternoon. I had spent more than usual care in the construction of my sermon, for if I impressed the bishop, might he not reward me with Sheppington? The church was crowded, and the red face of Sir Peter Surlyman was conspicuous in the foremost pew. Almost immediately after the bishop had entered the pulpit, I noticed that he was discommoded. The majority of the congregation did not, I dare say, observe that anything was wrong; but I could plainly see that he was disconcerted, and more, experience taught me from his movements that he had lost his sermon! Now the bishop could not, any more than myself, preach without his MS. Certain glances began to be exchanged among the people owing to the delay. The audience sat expectant while the prelate fumbled. As in all probability he had brought only one sermon, the gravity of the dilemma could scarcely be overestimated. I was sitting close by him in the choir stalls, and suddenly resolved to give him at least the opportunity of extricating himself from his difficulty. Stooping forward as if to lift something from the bottom of the pulpit stairs, I rose with my own sermon in my hand and passed it to him. As I afterward discovered, the paper I used was identical with his own, and I saw that he was under the impression that the missing MS. had been restored to him, for spreading it leisurely out, he looked calmly

round the congregation with a certain degree of impressment, as if nothing unusual had happened. He spoke the first few words extempore, and then had recourse to the MS. He started on seeing the handwriting, but it was too late now to recede, so after giving me a glance of surprise, he began to read. The sermon was filled with passages which I had carefully selected for their beauty, and these he frequently delivered with true eloquence. Sir Peter was attentive and critical, and in common with every one else plainly considered the sermon to be an excellent one. After the conclusion of the morning services the bishop sought an opportunity of speaking to me.

"You relieved me," he said, "from a most awkward predicament, though I greatly deplore the means you used. It would not do, of course, for the matter to pass beyond ourselves; and I think I can best requite your service by presenting you with the living of Sheppington."

I was so overcome by surprise and gratitude that I could scarcely murmur my thanks. I soon contrived in an agitated whisper to convey the intelligence to Fanny; but her sad smile told me that she did not think my good fortune great enough to alter the attitude of her parents toward us. I was nevertheless much elated, and I was so absorbed by other thoughts that, when I found myself in the pulpit in the afternoon, I remembered for the first time that I had given the bishop my sermon, and had not taken care to provide myself with another. The church was again crowded; the bishop and Sir Peter Surlyman were present; and every one seemed to be conscious of my mishap. I reflected that if I left the pulpit the bishop might think I was rendering my behavior in the morning equivocal when I handed him the MS., and he might, therefore, cancel his presentation. My dilemma was greater far than his, as my whole future life seemed to be trembling in the balance. While thus distracted, my eyes fell on a paper lying in the bottom of the pulpit, and almost concealed by a foot-stool. I stooped to lift it, fervently hoping that it might prove to be some old sermon which had providentially found its way there. Thank goodness, it was a sermon; and I had begun to read ere I realized the truth. It was the bishop's own sermon, which he must have dropped! Providence seemed to have extricated me from my difficulty, and there was no time to reflect on the propriety of my conduct; so without any hesitation, I began to preach. I soon entered into the spirit of the magnificent discourse, and did as much justice as I could to the eloquent periods. Sometimes the words flowed smoothly onward in a mellifluous stream, and anon they would rise into the thunder of harsh denunciation. Once when raising my hand in an oratorical gesture, while I delivered an anathema against worldliness and self-esteem, I caught the bishop's eye, and quailed before the angry expression of his pale, statuesque countenance. I was too much absorbed with my subject, however, to be affected by anything else then; I was carrying my audience away with me, and could not relinquish my hold. Almost immediately after I left the church, I met the bishop. "Sir," he said in a low voice of suppressed anger, "you will please consider the presentation I made this morning as revoked; and I greatly regret that I have no other means of expressing my sense of your unworthy behavior."

Now to this day I cannot see why he should have been so greatly offended with me. He must have been aware that the course I had taken was unpremeditated and involuntary. Besides, as he had preached my sermon, it was surely no less than just that I should preach his. I was present at the dinner at the vicarage, and in his conversation with the bishop Sir Peter did not seem at all tractable—a child might have told the squire was not in a mood for granting favors—and I think the bishop knew it. I was miserable enough myself; the ray of sunshine that had shone upon my fortunes in the morning was gone, and again all was dark. After dinner, as soon as we reached the drawing-room, Sir Peter Surlyman accosted me and entered into conversation. When we had talked for a little.

"Young man," he said, with a strong nasal twang he had, "that was a stunning good sermon you gave us this afternoon; it knocked the bishop's into a cocked hat. I mean you to be the vicar of Slopston Wold, and I'll come sometimes to hear you preach!"

And then to ratify his choice he proclaimed it to the bishop and vicar, both of whom seemed as astounded as myself. I could scarcely credit my good fortune till I had actually read it in the newspapers. No sordid obstacle now blocked my path to happiness. Fanny's parents, however, had so often and so unmistakably manifested their objection to any attentions which I paid their daughter, that it was no easy matter for either them or me—possessing, as I trust we did, a sufficient measure of self-respect—to approach each other on a new footing, so that it seemed probable I must leave Cloverfield without arriving at the understanding which I so greatly desired. Several evenings before my departure I was standing talking to the vicar by the fire, while Fanny and her mother were seated at an occasional table engaged with some fancy work. Ten was the hour at which Fanny usually retired, and it was now a quarter past that hour.

"Fanny," said her mother, looking at the mantel clock, "do you see the time?"

"There is no need for her to go yet," said the rector; and she remained for another half-hour.

Love is quick in discernment, and from this trivial incident I concluded I was an accepted suitor. Henceforward my engagement seemed to be an accepted fact by all concerned. Indeed, a few days afterward the vicar drove over with me to Slopston Wold, and with a certain degree of authority suggested improvements in the parsonage and garden.

This is the true account of my good fortune, and I trust I shall hear no more surmises or innuendoes.

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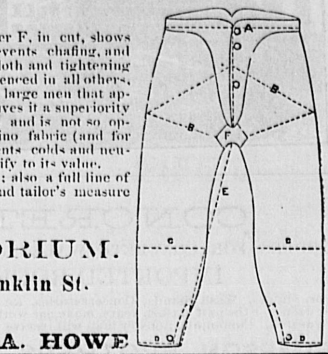
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## REALISM.

MR. HOWELLS' COMMENTS ON MODERN FICTION.

A Tribune correspondent, writing from Lake George, gives the following interesting talk with Mr. Howells:—

Mr. Howells occupies that long, low rambling cottage on the sunset side of the lake which was built by and was for many years the home of Judge Edmunds, whose fame as a spiritualist was quite as great as his fame as a jurist.

The author of "Silas Lapham" likes Lake George. I called upon him recently, and found him with his family about him seated upon the front piazza of his cottage, in a soft felt hat, a white flannel shirt, and a large easy pair of corduroy trousers. He looked the picture of good health. Evidently he had not shunned the sunlight, for his face was darkly tanned. He answered the question as to how in the world he had ever ventured into New York state for a summer vacation by saying that though warmly attached to Boston, he was not to the manner born, and found it less difficult to do strange and unusual things than if he were native Bostonese.

"We left early," he said, "spending June in Carbondale without having our summer plans definitely arranged, though feeling that our faces were rather surely turned in the direction of Lake George. What a lovely place it is! We are enjoying it immensely. Dr. Eggleston lives across the lake almost opposite this place. He and Miss Eggleston rowed over to see us the other day."

"Are you contemplating any new literary work, Mr. Howells?"

"Yes. I have just written the first pages of a new novel not yet announced. I began it in fact only day before yesterday. It will be a purely American story, its chief events centered in a New England country town, though it will relate to both city and country life. I have not thought of a name for it yet, nor, though I have the plot pretty well sketched out in my mind, should I feel at liberty to detail it to you just now. The nature of my arrangements with the Harpers, who have contracted with me for all I write, is such that entire good faith requires me to leave with them the time and form of any extended announcement. We shall not leave Lake George before October, and by that time I hope to have the book in fairly good shape."

"How do you work here?"

"There is my little office," replied the novelist, pointing to a little one-story wing of the house. "Will you look at it?"

It is a pretty room, with a hard-wood floor and plenty of shelving, plentifully stored with books. A picture of Lincoln, after that lately reproduced in the Century, and pictures of Tolstoi, Bjornson, Hawthorne and others were on the walls. A large flat desk and several easy chairs completed the room's furniture.

"I write here for about four hours every morning after breakfast," continued Mr. Howells. "Yes, I become vastly interested in my work. It quite possesses me. Of course, there are times when I feel myself unable to think and when it really pulls on me, but that is every man's experience in every kind of effort."

"There are very many beautiful Indian romances relating to the mountains and islands and inlets all about here, Mr. Howells," I ventured to suggest.

"True; the history of Lake George is full of romance, but, then, you know, I look upon that as the province of poetry rather than of prose narrative. I think that it is asking a good deal of people in these busy, practical times, to go back with you for a half a dozen or more generations, and to lose themselves among strange customs and among strange people in a strange land. The public of to-day, I think, feels that but little is to be gained by such excursions into the past. It knows where to go for history and for romances of the past; it has the poets. The real sentiment of to-day requires that the novelist shall portray a section of real life, that has in it a useful and animating purpose. All the good work of our time is being done on this theory."

"Then you do not regard the work of the present English school of romancers, as represented, we will say, by Haggard, as 'good work'?"

"I regard the writings of that school as nothing more than a counter-current. It is no real tendency of the times. Every great current has its counter eddies, and the fiction of the present day, which is pre-eminently realistic, has its spasm of romantic endeavor, just as in Scott's day, when the sentiment ran universally toward romance and extravagant fiction, there were ebullitions of realism. They amounted to little. They were entirely insignificant as showing the feeling of the age. They held to the century the same relation as is now held by the essays of English romancers."

"In proof of this, just glance at the work which public sentiment has passed favorably upon in all intelligent countries. Russia has led in the new school, and holds foremost place among the nations that have produced great modern novelists. England stands at the very bottom of the list. Hardy is a great, I may say, a very great novelist. His pictures of life is life itself. Mrs. Howells and I have heard under our windows in England the very thoughts, yes, the very accents, which he has attributed to his English peasantry. His truth and sincerity are admirable. And Black, too, so far as I have read him, is an able, skilful writer. But the Russian novelists lead the world. Indeed, I affirm that Tolstoi occupies to all fiction the same relation that Shakespeare occupies to the drama. He has a very strong ethical side, and not only teaches it and portrays it, but lives it. He has given himself up to it. He believes that men should live precisely and literally as Christ lived, and abandoning literature, where he stood at the summit of fiction, he has adopted the daily life of a Russian peasant."

"I remarked that that seemed like simplicity itself and received this retort:

"Isn't that because our civilization is so sophisticated, we read, and say we believe that Christ is God, but sometimes our actions imply that we scarcely think He meant what He said about the conduct of life."

"Who do you think ranks next to Tolstoi as a writer of fiction?"

"Turgenieff."

"Do you mean to say that the greatest writers of fiction that the world has ever produced are both Russians?"

"Yes, I think I am prepared to say just that. The novels of these men are absolute truth. They are nature bared. They are greatest because their writers have the ability and the courage to paint humanity and his affairs just as they are. That I regard as the highest art."

"Where, then, do you place Dickens?"

"Dickens was a man of his times, and it is only fair to him to view him in that light. The age just before his was extravagantly romantic. The work then done did not fully satisfy the rapidly growing practical thought of Dickens' mind. One of the discoveries of his age was that while fiction sounded stilted and unreal when read in the garb of poetry, yet there were things in life quite as romantic as any of the paintings of the poets. The Russians, and the realistic school they lead, not only dispute this, but urge that fiction does not need the adventitious aid of the unreal imagination to give it permanent interest. If any dared to show it as it really is, without the slightest gloss or draping, he would be giving out the most absorbing fiction."

"How do you answer the charge that real life is commonplace?"

By asserting that the very things that are not commonplace are those commonly called commonplace. All the rest has long since become hackneyed. In the preposterous what is there to invent? Nothing, except what is so preposterous as to be ludicrous.

"I think my first ideas as to the real beauty of natural simple fiction that dealt with the actual honest and true men and women are universally shown, came from reading Bjornson's exquisite stories. In Scandinavian literature realism has attained a rare degree of perfection. Most of the modern Italian and modern Spanish novels are of the new school, and it cannot be denied that the best works in all the continental tongues show the growth of this tendency."

"Of course we all know the character of the modern French writers. Zola is a great writer. I think that he has even written himself so much with the disagreeable and unhappy things of life, but I do not base my objection to him on that ground. Strange as it may seem, if I object to him at all it would be that he was a romancer. He is natural and true, but he might better be more so. He has not quite escaped the influence of Balzac, who with Dickens and Gogol marked the inauguration of the realistic era by taking real life and placing them in a romantic relations. As to Gogol, I should qualify this remark somewhat, for he came much closer to the high art of natural fiction than either Dickens or Balzac. To me the beautiful and inspiring things of life are much more worth writing about than the ugly things, to which the French have run. Perhaps the worst picture of what is false and bad in humanity that fiction affords is given in Maupassant. A true arrangement of literatures in which realism has obtained the supremacy over romance would place the Russian first; the Frenchman, by virtue of Zola's strength; second; the Spanish next; the Norwegian fourth; the Italian fifth, and the English last."

## Free Text Books.

At the teachers' convention at Burlington, Vt., Superintendent Emerson of this city read a paper on "Free Text Books," of which the following abstract is given:

Mr. Emerson opened with a brief review, showing the present status of legislation in regard to free text books in the several states. There are, he said, twenty states that have not yet made any provision for free text books, even for indigent children. In seven there are permissive laws, allowing the cities and towns at their option to furnish free text books, and as a rule they do furnish them where they are allowed to. The first city in the country to furnish free text books was Philadelphia. This it did by a special act of legislation in 1818, showing an unbroken record of nearly seventy years, during which it has continued the system. The first state to pass a permissive law on the subject was Maine. In but one state, however, is there a compulsory law, and that is Massachusetts. It compels every city and town to furnish free text books to all pupils of the public schools. The first state of the Union to compile, make, publish and distribute free text books is the state of California, the pioneer in this school work. Mr. Emerson next showed the success that had attended the practical working of the system in the several states in which it had been in operation. The testimony from all quarters is strongly in its favor, no city, town or district that has once adopted the system having abandoned it. In Massachusetts the testimony is almost universal in its favor. The most pronounced testimony in its favor is that of Boston, whose school committee opposed the law from its inception to its engrossment, but who now endorse the law in its strongest terms, conceding to it all the advantages which its friends have claimed for it. Mr. Emerson closed with a brief statement as to the duty of the state to provide for universal education and to make it absolutely free.

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## EDUCATIONAL THEORIES.

All these discussions at Educational Conventions are productive of good, no doubt, and the various educational theories that are expounded are more or less important and interesting. The great trouble seems to be, however, that in the endless details and abstruse reasonings the true function of our schools is lost sight of.

Dr. Richard Edwards, the state superintendent of education of Illinois, touched upon the vital question in his address at Chicago, when he said that a large part of the future of this country lies in the hands of the schoolmaster. Future citizens are being trained in the schools and upon the wisdom of their training depends our future. Instruction that stops short with the mere branches that are taught, and teachers that content themselves with this, are of comparatively little value. What is important is that pupils should be taught right principles of action, fidelity to duty, the sacredness of truth, in a word, to have their moral nature developed. All the learning that can be taught in the schools will not in itself make a good citizen, or an honorable man or woman.

We have carried fine spun educational theories to the extreme limit, so that the question asked now is what kind of a teacher is a candidate, regardless of the fact that the man is of far more importance than the teacher. The influence that a teacher exerts outside of the text books is the important thing, and not the amount of knowledge he crams into his classes.

This portion of the school master's work must have been sadly neglected in the case of many of our public men, who show themselves at all times ready to sacrifice everything to expediency, and to look upon every question that confronts them, not as to its merits, but as to its popularity with the voters. Policy and not principle rules their lives. It would not be just of course to charge this wholly to the influence of their school training, but they certainly have not the virtues of the generation that preceded them, such as Phillips and Garrison and Sumner. Imagine Charles Sumner stopping to ask before deciding upon any question of public policy, "Will I gain votes if I favor this?"

Educational theories are all very well, but what this country needs most is not good scholars but good citizens, and the public schools should be conducted with this aim in view. This would be making them practical in the best sense.

The philosopher who occasionally drops into the GRAPHIC office, took occasion last Saturday to indulge in some mysterious moralizing upon the subject of weather-cocks. He announced suddenly, after reading one of our exchanges, that a weathercock was a very useful institution. This rather commonplace remark was followed by the statement that the possession of such an article should keep it well oiled, so that it would move before the breeze became a hurricane and threatened serious injury to the machine. He had known instances, he said, where the vane always failed to respond until the storm was over, when it got on the right side with an agility very confusing to the spectators. He then began to talk of the city election last fall, and the recent High School unpleasantness, in a rather enigmatical way, but was interrupted by several gentlemen coming in to subscribe for the GRAPHIC, and failed to give any explanation of his remarks.

According to present indications there promises to be very little political excitement in Newton during the next six months. Everything seems to be quite satisfactorily settled, as far as municipal officers are concerned, and the talk at present is that there will be no opposition to the nominees on the Citizen's ticket, that is providing Mayor Kimball should consent to run again. The people seem to be very well satisfied with the members of the two branches of the city government, and there is no very loud call for a change. Those who desire to go back will have very little trouble in doing so, and the only feature of the election that seems to promise any excitement is the school board. It is said that the majority of the mothers in the city have already announced their intention of being registered and an unusually large vote will probably be cast. The people in Newton have a very healthy interest in the public schools.

Miss A. B. BECHER begins in this issue a series of letters to the girls of the class of '86, Newton High School, of which class she is an honorary member, and promises to give them some very practical advice, on several important subjects. The introductory letter treats of law and its immutability, and that the relation of cause and effect is always maintained. The laws of health can not be violated without suffering sooner or later the full effect of such violation. Whatever Miss Beecher writes is always

worth reading, and her letters will be read with pleasure and profit, not only by the girls, but by other readers of the GRAPHIC.

TICKNOR's paper series are proving just the sort of reading for hot weather, and most of the novels are worth reading the second time. The latest issue is "The Duchess Emilia," by Barrett Wendell, author of the vigorous and successful American novel, "Rankell's Remains." It is a vivid picture of life in the old Papal Rome, amid the noble homes and legend-haunted halls of the Colonna family. The Literary World says: "It is an original, ingenious, and in some respects powerful story; its materials the rich and august elements of Roman life, its presiding spirit a strong and lofty religious feeling that looks severely on human sinfulness, sympathetically on human suffering, tenderly on human love, and longingly towards the rest and peace that comes of faith and pardon."

The movement to repeal the internal revenue taxes on whiskey and tobacco is queer financiering, and still queerer politics. It is to be regretted that Republican papers of otherwise good standing have advocated the movement. If the surplus is too large it should be diminished in some other way. Whiskey and tobacco are luxuries, and they can stand taxation much better than such necessities of life as sugar, salt, lumber, coal, or even the cheaper grades of dry goods. To advocate the repeal of the whiskey tax merely for the sake of keeping up the tariff would ruin any political party that attempted it.

"GREYSTONE" has again become a contributor to the GRAPHIC, and his writings will be found as racy and suggestive as ever. In this issue he presents a striking picture of a citizen whose life has long since vanished from Newton, if it is not a fancy sketch, and he also has something pertinent to say about the destructive qualities of "Young America." We hope to induce Greystone to become a regular correspondent, at least during the hot weather, so that his articles may serve as a sauce to give a relish to the sea-shore and mountain directory, of which a large instalment appears every week.

With the approach of the dull season the usual discussion as to the merits of Mr. Howells as a novelist has begun. It is a good advertisement and we imagine Mr. Howells bears the attacks upon him with a good deal of complacency. It will be welcome news to many that he is writing a new novel, and an extended interview with him at his pleasant summer home at Lake George will be found in another column.

THE GRAPHIC is becoming quite cosmopolitan as regards its circulation, and copies are now sent to England, France, Germany, Italy, the British Provinces, Mexico and nearly every state in the Union, besides all the coast and mountain resorts. We shall not be wholly contented until we get the Sandwich Islands on our list, so that we can tell King Kalakaua, "we told you so," when he has another revolution.

BRIGHT EYES, now Mrs. Tibbles, who lectured in Newton the past winter, is said to be arranging for a series of addresses in England, on the wrongs her people have endured in the United States. The English will find that we have treated the Indians nearly as badly as they have the natives of India.

2 HON. E. W. WOOD of this city is among those prominently mentioned for the position of secretary of the state board of agriculture. Mr. Francis Appleton, who was recently elected, has declined on account of poor health. Mr. Wood is well qualified for such a position, and his name is being urged upon the attention of the board by influential men.

QUEEN KAPOLANI does not seem to be much alarmed at the reported revolution, and says it is merely a change of ministry. The old ministry were tipped out.

The list of officers of the Newton club represents all parts of Newton, and is an assurance of the high standing of the club. Such an organization has long been needed in the city.

A CLEVER writer says that her idea of a heroine is "an educated American woman who does her own housework."

## NOTES FROM GREYSTONE.

## OBITUARY.

Died, nearer Newton Centre than anywhere else, J. Smythe, (presumably John) in his eighty-seventh year.

He was a remote connection of the historical Captain John. Grad. Har. O. W. T. (A memorandum found in his family Bible, which probably means one of the original graders of hardest part of the old Worcester turnpike, now Boylston street.)

He was born the very last day of the last century, at Putterham, so called, on the back side or scrub-urbs of Newton, in that swampy region which soaks the town line between Newton and Brookline, close by the pensive ruins of Erosamond Brook's old saw mill, where Palmer drew winds through Blithedale and "Ye Grate Meadows" to Charles River.

Here he lived all his life, held high converse with nature and himself, and was finally gathered, so to speak, to his fathers.

"Still waters run deep."  
He was but little known except to a few, and they knew but very little, not even how he spelt his name, whether he had a

dot or a wedge in the middle, or an e at the end of it.

So little known was he, that he found himself in the latter part of his long life under paradoxical suspicion, for not being better known.

This is a trait of character that has escaped the notice of prominent writers. Byron just glances at it in the lines:

"And even the absence of pretension,  
Will go much further than we've need to mention."

Absence was one of our departed friend's strong points,—and that habit of his did go much further than we care to mention.

The neighbors talked as neighbors will, and all the more because they had nothing tangible to talk about.

He was never seen at a town meeting, of course was never up for any office in town, church, state or neighborhood,—never was on any committee to represent anything,—never signed any petition or subscription paper, or made his name conspicuous.

He was never known to be poor at any time, but quite otherwise apparently. He never owed anything at the stores, or on mortgage, and never borrowed money, tools or anything else—never squeezed his hired help in hours or fractional days or wages. In all money matters he was a true no-bill-man.

He never went off summers or winters to Florida, Nassau, Bar Harbor, California, Europe or anywhere else. He just slipped along in the grooves nearest to his line of action.

He was never known to speak ill of or to man or beast,—never bore false witness for or against his neighbor,—never kept a dog. His words were few and precious, and were as good as his bond.

His singular life (though in some respects married) was a bundle of negatives,—and what he did not say or do, would make a large and interesting biography in two volumes, which is unquestionably lost to the Newton Library and to the world, in which while he lived, he shone like a light under a bushel basket,—through crevices, but steadily, not flickering or blown about by any wind of doctrine.

The writer lays this chaplet tenderly upon the grave of one who has passed away, leaving no living representative.

That style of man is extinct, and this was the last specimen.

He ran his life's race with patience, keeping always on the shady side of the street and out of the crowd.

## TO BE A YOUNG GENTLEMAN.

It is not enough to remove your cap and cool your brains whenever you meet a bonnet. A monkey with equal training may perform the manual as creditably.

So far as it goes this is graceful and proper, but we have seen the identical parties, a short time before and after, clubbing fruit trees, rudely accosting people who were in their working clothes, "plugging" neighbors' cats and dogs, damaging shade trees, building fires in the streets, and doing other mischievous and untidy things too numerous to mention.

Why do grounds open to the public require policemen? Mostly on account of the youthful cannibal.

It is not so in other countries.

Some years since, the writer in strolling through the streets of Marseilles, saw everywhere old fountains dripping with mosses and watercresses, which no one attempted to pluck or mutilate, even for the sake of mischief.

In one of the small public squares there was an artificial island, covered with rare and delicate flowering shrubs, all well enclosed, and within reach of anybody's hand or stick.

The island rested in a stone basin, supplied with water by a fountain. Around the edge of this basin was a row of marble frogs about the size of life, looking as though they had just hopped out of the water to take a look at the stranger.

Not one of them was displaced, and they were not even fastened down.

What arrested attention was not so much the beauty of this work of art, as the fact that nothing was damaged. The frogs were not mutilated, but rather coated with a respectable accumulation of green slime, as though they had been all the time in some nobleman's private park. There was no policeman about. Anyone so disposed could have taken them off.

In what American city could such a public ornament as this have escaped molestation? Surely not in any part of Newton.

## BUSINESS NOTICES.

LOST—Between post office and Church street a red silk purse, containing laundry check and small change. Will the finder please return the same to Mrs. J. B. Hill, Eldridge street.

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FOUND—Gentleman's scarf pin, marked S. T. W. Inquire of J. Upham Smith, West Newton.

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PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Henry H. Linsley, late of Newton, deceased.  
GREETING:  
Whereas a cert. in last ament purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said court, for Probate, by Ephraim S. Hamblen and Samuel Hamblen who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them, the executors therein named, and that they may be exempt from giving a surety or securities on their bond pursuant to said will and statute.  
You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of September next at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the NEWTON GRAPHIC, printed at Newton, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, George M. Brooks, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirtieth day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

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## NEWTONVILLE.

—Mr. C. E. Adams is at Rindge, N. H.

—Miss May Allen is spending a couple of weeks at Plim.

—Mr. R. D. Morehouse and family are at East Boothbay, Me.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. R. W. Shapleigh are at Hotel Pemberton.

—Miss Mattie Rindge is at East Rindge, N. H., for the summer.

—Mrs. F. G. Ballantyne is spending a few weeks at Holliston.

—Mr. Edward P. Call is taking a brief vacation at Atlanta City, N. J.

—Mr. W. F. Chapman and family are at the Atlantic House, Nantasket.

—Mrs. J. K. Prescott has gone to Camden, Me., for the summer.

—Mr. H. S. Calley and family are at Plymouth, N. H., for the summer.

—Miss Fanny Page will spend the next week in North Berwick, Me.

—Mr. George F. Williams and family are at Nichewang, Worcester county.

—H. K. Stiles and W. Green are camping out at Lake View, South Framingham.

—Miss Nellie F. Wells is a member of the graduating class of the C. L. S. C. this year.

—Miss Alice Richardson returned from her vacation at South Bristol, Me., on Thursday.

—Mr. Edward Page and family are at the Cotchuset, Wino, Osterville, for the summer.

—Mr. C. E. Binney and family, and Mrs. N. W. Tupper are at Cottage City for a few weeks.

—Mr. Dustin Laney and family have gone to Fort Point, Stockton, Me., for the summer.

—Mrs. Wm. Claffin is attending the Chautauqua Assembly at Lake View, South Framingham.

—Mr. Joseph Brown, the watchmaker, has just returned from a vacation trip to Nova Scotia.

—Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Heath's children and nurse have gone to Farmington, Me., for the summer.

—Mrs. E. T. Eldridge is at the Boar's Head Hotel on the New Hampshire coast for a few weeks.

—Mr. J. C. Fuller has sold Mrs. Kimball's new house on Ous street to Mr. A. H. Deatur of Boston.

—Mr. H. P. Dearborn is making a great display of watermelons, which are said to be very fine ones.

—Col. W. M. Rumery is building an extensive addition to his residence on Newtonville avenue.

—Higgins & Nickerson have begun a new house for Nelson Parker on Washington street, near Lowell.

—Mr. J. C. Fuller has sold Leon C. Carter's new house on Washington Park, to Mrs. Amelia M. Alary of Boston.

—Mr. Fred. Page has returned from Jacksonville, Florida, and will spend his vacation of two months at home.

—Mayor Kimball went to Point Shirley Wednesday afternoon with the Mayors' club, which enjoyed a dinner at Tat's.

—Mrs. E. J. Peck of Brooklyn, N. Y., has rented Mr. George W. Brooks' residence during the absence of his family in Europe.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Mitchell leave about the 23d for Manchester-by-the-Sea, from which place they will go to Poland Springs.

—Miss Louisa North, daughter of Mayor Chas. North of Oswego, who has been visiting Mrs. A. R. Mitchell, has returned to Newburgh, N. Y.

—Thursday evening a reunion of the original members of the Newtonville Circle of Chautauquas was held at the residence of W. S. French.

—Mrs. J. E. Gilman and daughter, the Misses Stowell, and Miss Matson, are summering with Mrs. Soden at her cottage the "Gilsomatwell," Fort Point, Me.

—The park project has taken a vacation until fall, when it is hoped it will have gained vigor enough to become a reality, and so add to the beauty of this ward.

—The Newton City band went to Lake View, South Framingham, Tuesday evening, to play for the opening of the Chautauqua Assembly. A number of Newton people were present.

—The Sunday school of the New Church will be discontinued during the months of July, August and September. Services in the chapel will be omitted during August. Rev. Mr. Worcester will return from his vacation the first of October.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Richards have joined a party from Springfield on a Raymond excursion to the Alleghany Mountains, Niagara Falls and down the St. Lawrence River. The trip lasts about two weeks.

—Mrs. J. Wesley Kimball and daughter, and Mrs. Charles T. Pulsifer and daughter sailed in the Elder last Saturday from New York. A large party of their Newtonville friends were present to wish them a prosperous voyage.

—Mrs. M. E. Sherwood and daughter and Miss Ella Macomber have gone to Bradford, Vt., where they will spend a couple of weeks on a farm. They will be joined next week by Miss Ellen Tewkesbury and Mrs. Fanny Emerson.

—Ex-Governor Claffin is one of several prominent men who are interested in the preparations to celebrate on July 27th the 78th birthday anniversary of Rev. Edwin Thompson, the pioneer anti-slavery agitator and temperance advocate.

—On Wednesday evening W. S. French entertained at his residence the gentlemen who had acted as members of his suite for three years past, during which time he has been District Deputy over the lodges in Newton, Watertown and Brighton.

—Mr. Jason Herrick is able to be out again, having nearly recovered from his injuries. The block has had quite a run of accidents the past week. The next day after Mr. Herrick's accident, a carpenter fell from a staging and only escaped serious injury by clinging to a window cap; the next day another carpenter fell and cut his knee open; the second day a carpenter and mason fell from a two story platform and both were bruised badly. Fortunately none of the accidents have been serious.

Don't fail to see the great picture of the Battle of Gettysburg at No. 54 Tremont street. It will not always remain in Boston, and you will never forgive yourself if you let this present opportunity go by. It can be seen every day from 9 a. m. to 10 p. m.

## WEST NEWTON.

—Mrs. S. R. Urbino is visiting her old friends here.

—Mr. C. H. Jennison has recovered from his recent illness.

—Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Felton are at Pigeon Cove for a short stay.

—Mr. Chas. H. Carroll and family are at East Marshfield, Mass.

—The family of Mr. J. Ober have gone to Falmouth for the summer.

—Mr. Edward Leland and wife have returned from their vacation trip.

—Mrs. F. G. Ballard and Miss Mabel Hussey are at Rindge, N. H., for the summer.

—Captain S. E. Howard and family have returned from their vacation trip to Vermont.

—Mrs. James T. Allen and her daughter Anna, have gone to Petrolia, Ontario, for the summer.

—Mr. J. P. Tolman and family will spend the summer at their cottage at Wino, Osterville.

—Work will soon commence on Dr. F. L. Thayer's new house at the corner of River and Waltham streets.

—Rev. Father O'Toole sailed for Europe on the Cephalonia, Thursday, and will be absent until September.

—The High School Orchestra played Tuesday evening at an entertainment at Cottage Park, Winthrop.

—R. B. Conroy, the night clerk at the ticket office, is away for a week's vacation in Albany and New York.

—Mr. W. T. Rice is spending his vacation around home taking short trips of a day or so in various places.

—Mr. S. F. Cate, who has been seriously ill for several days, this week, is now improving and able to be out again.

—Mr. W. E. Sheldon has been elected vice-president of the National Educational Association, now in session at Chicago.

—Mr. George P. Ballard and family of Hunter street are spending a few weeks at the Great Head Hotel, Winthrop, Mass.

—Mr. and Mrs. Moses Quinby, Mrs. William Pettigrew and Miss Maud Langley are at North Sandwich, N. H., for the summer.

—Miss Alice Morton with her friend, Miss Lincoln of the Baptist church choir, have gone to Bethel, Me., for a three weeks' visit.

—Newton Lodge No. 92, I. O. O. F., initiated nine new members at its meeting Thursday night, the home lodge doing the work.

—In the police court the past week, there were five cases of drunkenness, and one of disturbing the peace; all were fined and paid up.

—Dr. Sanderson has returned from Scituate, where he has taken his family for the summer, and can be found daily at his office here.

—Mr. J. T. Allen's swimming pond has been well patronized during the late hot weather, when such a place seemed more than ever a public benefit.

—Mr. E. S. Merchant and family, Mr. T. A. Estabrook and family and Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Warren have joined the Newton colony at Rindge, N. H.

—Joseph Carney, who was tried in the police court for the illegal sale of liquor, had his case settled in the Superior Court last week, by his agreeing to pay \$75 and the costs.

—The Baptist church will be closed during August, as repairs are to be made on the building. The church will be painted inside and out, new furnaces will be added and other improvements made.

—The Unitarian church will be closed until the second Sunday in September. Rev. Mr. Jaynes left on Tuesday for Minnesota, having remained over one day to attend the funeral of Mr. Freeman.

—Sixty-one blossoms of the night-blooming cereus were open Monday evening at the conservatory of Charles Robinson. Quite a number of persons ventured out in the severe rain to see them. About thirty blossoms opened Tuesday evening and were inspected by a large number.

—Mr. Henry How and son of the late David Howland, died at Somerville on Monday. He was born in Boston, Dec. 23, 1846, and was graduated at Harvard in the class of 1869, and at the Harvard Law School in 1878. From 1872 to 1874 he was a tutor at Harvard, taking charge of history and political economy courses. Mr. Howland also continued his studies abroad, obtaining at Heidelberg the degree of Ph. D. He practiced law in Boston until his health gave out, holding just before retirement a position in the United States District Attorney's office under Judge Sanger.

—A meeting of the First Unitarian Society took place last Tuesday. Mr. G. A. Walton acting as moderator; H. H. Hunt was engaged to construct the addition. The following expenditures were authorized: for enlarging the church \$6780; for enlarging the church parlor, \$1513; architect's expenses, \$400; for refurnishing the interior of the church, moving organ, etc., \$1150; for new furnace and gas fixtures, \$250. The work will begin immediately on the church, which is to be cut in two, the rear part to be moved back, and transepts added on. The expense of enlarging the church parlor will be met by the Ladies' Aid Society. The meeting authorized a loan by the treasurer of not more than \$2500 to meet the extra expenses, and then adjourned.

—S. R. Knights & Co. had a quite successful sale at the Eliot estate auction on Monday. The property was divided up into 67 house lots, and was disposed of, in part, as follows: Lots 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66 and 67, containing 148,144 square feet, including the mansion house, stable, billiard room and carriage shed, to Mrs. K. Reichert of Boston, at 13 1/2 cents per square foot; lots 1 and 2, containing 15,216 square feet, to James H. Norris, at 21 cents per square foot; lot 3, containing 5940 feet, to John Clarke, at 17 cents; lots 11, 12 and 13, containing 23,231 feet, to Edward Finnelly of Boston, at 13 1/4 cents; lots 20, 21, 22 and 23, containing 22,000 feet, to Edward Finnelly at 10 7/8 cents; lots 24, 25 and 26, containing 19,051 feet, to E. D. Ling of Reading, at 8 cents; lots 17, 18 and 19, containing 20,531 feet to Edward Finnelly, at 8 3/4 cents. The remaining lots were not sold.

—The last Sunday before the vacation of the Unitarian church was a truly sad one, the whole congregation sitting as under the shadow of a great grief, as the news of the

sudden death of Mr. Freeman, one of their most loved and conspicuous members had just met their ears, and this being the third of their members who had been stricken by death within a short space of time. The pastor alluded to the touching recollections that clustered around the altar about which they gathered for the last time. He followed by an eloquent discourse from the text, "and a certain man, lame from his birth, was carried, whom they laid daily at the gate of the temple, which is called Beautiful." We are born into the world crippled by disease of mind or body, and no life is without its limitations, but each soul has some "Beautiful Gate" of rest and healing. It may be in the face and presence of a child, or in the sweet ties of love and friendship, and the holy influence of sainted beings about us and those gone before. Above all in the light of the "All-Father" in whose love and presence our souls may ever rest, and draw fresh strength and healing.

—Mr. Frederick W. Freeman died on Sunday at his residence on Mt. Vernon street, after a brief illness of peritonitis. He had been at his office at the American Watch Company's factory last Tuesday, and also made a short visit there on Thursday. He has held for four years the office of paymaster at the Watch Factory, having been appointed to the position at the suggestion of Mr. Fred. L. Ames. Previous to that time Mr. Freeman was in the auditor's department of the Union Pacific Railway company. He was a member of the Unitarian society, and represented his ward in the Common Council in 1882 and 1883. He was held in high esteem by all who knew him, and his early death caused deep sorrow among a host of friends. He leaves a widow and four children. The funeral was held at his late residence on Tuesday at 11 o'clock, Rev. J. C. Jaynes and Rev. E. E. Haec officiating. There was a very large attendance, including a delegation of the heads of departments and officials of the Waltham Watch Company, the members of the Common Council during Mr. Freeman's term of office, and a large number of relatives and friends. The floral tributes were beautiful and numerous, and included an elaborate one from the Common Council. The burial was in the Newton Cemetery.

## AUBURNDALE.

—Mrs. J. H. Minor is in Andover, Mass.

—Mr. Charles H. Sprague and family have gone to Hull.

—Mrs. J. B. Stewart left yesterday for the White Mountains.

—Mr. Almy's new house on Woodbine avenue is nearly completed.

—Rev. W. R. Newhall has gone to Colorado Springs to visit Rev. Mr. Peck.

—Miss H. S. Fuller and Miss Anna J. Fuller are at Maplewood, Mass.

—Mr. J. R. Worcester is in North Thetford, Vermont, for the summer.

—Rev. H. A. Hazen and Miss Charlotte Hazen are at Plymouth, N. H.

—Mrs. C. J. Bellows has gone to Massapoag Lake Hotel, Sharoa, Mass.

—Mrs. W. H. Blood, who has been quite seriously ill, is recovering slowly.

—Mrs. J. W. Bird and her father, Mr. Abrams, have gone to Bar Harbor.

—Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Harvey sail from Liverpool for home on the Umbria, July 23d.

—Mr. Roy Pulsifer leaves next week for a horse-back trip through the White Mountains.

—Mr. H. L. Smith has moved from Auburndale to Rockland street, Roxbury, Mass.

—Miss Annie Plummer has been spending a few weeks with Miss Holman, Worcester, Mass.

—The carpenters are at work on Lasell Seminary, building a bay window on the west side.

—Mrs. H. W. Little and Albert W. Little are going to Jefferson Hill, N. H., to spend a few weeks.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Hildreth and Miss L. A. Rider, are at the Stanley House, Southwest Harbor, Mt. Desert.

—Prof. Norton has moved his house to the rear part of his lot and will build a new one on the same site.

—Mr. Charles H. Johnson has broken ground on Lexington street for the cellar of a new house which he intends to build.

—Mr. Gross, of the firm of Gross & Straus, Boston, and family have taken Mrs. J. B. Parker's house on Auburn street for the summer.

—Among the new arrivals at the "Woodland" are Mrs. Thayer, Miss Thayer and the Masters Thayer of New York, who will remain during the summer.

—The following have registered at the Woodland Park Hotel this week: Miss Cery, New Bedford; Miss Waite, New Bedford; Dr. Payne, Boston; Mr. Whiting, Boston.

—Mr. W. E. Plummer had a fortunate escape from a serious accident Wednesday evening. He was in his carriage passing the railway station when a train just starting frightened the horse. The carriage was overturned but the driver managed to keep his hold on the reins. Mr. Plummer was bruised a little.

## NONANTUM.

—William Mayo had an apoplectic fit Monday night.

—Miss Annie Love is at home for her vacation, school having closed June 27.

—Mr. C. S. Johnson has severed his connection with the Nonantum Worsted company.

—Mrs. S. Webb, who has resided in this village the past year, has changed her residence to South Lawrence, Mass.

—Miss Lena Harrington will make her future home in Trenton, New Jersey, for which place she left on Wednesday.

—A large number of our people are attending the parish picnic of the church of Our Lady at Highland Lake Grove to-day (Friday).

—Miss Jennie Johnson, accompanied by her sister Lizzie, have been spending a few days here among their former friends and acquaintances, and returned to their home in Rhode Island Friday.

—The members of Victoria Lodge No. 52, Sons of St. George, held a lawn party Tuesday night, at the residence of Mr. Geo. Hudson, who gave the use of his house and grounds for the purpose. Music,

singing, dancing and various other amusements were indulged in, refreshments were served, and a general good time enjoyed until about midnight, when all departed for home.

—The annual meeting of the North Evangelical church took place last Monday evening, Deacon Towne in the chair. The reports of the officers for the past year were very satisfactory. The following are the officers of the church for the ensuing year: P. F. Towne, Reuben Forknell, Geo. Noden, deacons; E. F. Jennison, superintendent of Sabbath school; Geo. Hudson, clerk and treasurer. Rev. Mr. Evans of Madison, Maine, has been engaged by the church for a year.

## A Precocious Youngster.

Some Newton people were driving through Watertown the other day, when their attention was arrested by a group of children on the sidewalk.

The central figure was a tiny chap smoking a cigar. He was not big enough for trousers, but was puffing away at a very rank cigar with evident enjoyment.

The Newtonians were astonished and one of them exclaimed: "Why, that boy will be sick!" "No, he won't" was the prompt reply of an urchin somewhat older, "No, he won't, cause he chews too."

Well, if that is not a precocious youth, where shall we find one?

The Newtonians drove sadly on, wondering whether the few words of warning they uttered to the little group would have any effect.

## MARRIED.

At West Newton, July 6, by Rev. L. J. O'Toole, George H. Brown of Newton and Hannah Finnegan of Boston.

At Newton, July 6, by Rev. H. A. Metcalf, Alexander Currel of Boston and Margaret Keefe of Newton.

At Brighton, July 7, by Rev. Augustus Prime, Arthur St. M. Claffin and Virginia B. Peterson, both of Newton.

At Newton, July 10, by Rev. Michael Dolan, Edward Quigley of Boston and Kargaret Garvey of Newton.

At Newton Centre, June 1, by Rev. H. L. Wheeler, Frederick E. Proctor and Martha Cunningham of Newton.

At Newton Centre, June 13, by Rev. H. L. Wheeler, Edward C. Hawkes of Clinton and Hattie J. Brigham of Newton.

At Newton Centre, June 29, by Rev. H. L. Wheeler, Sidney S. Colburn and Hattie B. Derby, both of Newton.

## DIED.

At Auburndale, July 11, Lucy E., wife of Cephas Brigham, Esq., 60 years.

At Auburndale, July 11, Henry Howland, 40 years, 6 months and 18 days.

At Auburndale, July 7, Ellen, wife of Patrick Hannagan, aged 58 years.

At West Newton, July 10th, Frederick W. Freeman, aged 33 years, 4 months, 26 days.

At Newtonville, July 10, Eliza E., wife of Claudius A. Pease, aged 62 years.

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That you prate of her so long?  
Was she just a little lassie  
Full of smiles and wiles and song?

Did she spill the cups o' dew  
Filled for helpless, thirsty posies?  
Did she tie a butterfly  
Just beyond the reach o' roses?

Slandered she some sweet dumb thing?  
Called a tulip dull and plain,  
Said the clover had no fragrance,  
And the lily had a stain?

Did she mock the pansies' faces,  
Or a grand longlegs' flout?  
Did she chase the frightened fireflies  
Till their pretty lamps were out?

Well, whatever 'twas, O Katy!  
We believe no harm of you,  
And we'll join your staunch defenders,  
Singing "Katy-didn't," too.

—(St. Nicholas.)

## A SONG FROM THE SEA-SIDE.

The wild waves beat up on the shore  
And murmur low to me;  
I hear them, love, far up above  
The roaring of the sea.  
And while they dash upon the beach,  
So blithely and so free,  
I sit and dream—the wavelets seem  
To murmur soft of thee.

They roll in on the pebbled sand,  
Beneath the cloudless sky;  
White shells they bring, and ever sing  
A dreamy lullaby.  
And so, sweet summer days, my love,  
Beside the sounding sea,  
I sit and dream—the wavelets seem  
To murmur soft of thee.

No sweeter music e'er was heard  
Than that the wild waves sing;  
None can proclaim a dearer name  
Than that the wild waves bring.  
For, love, the name they bring is thine,  
And so beside the sea,  
I sit and dream—the wavelets seem  
To murmur soft of thee.

## THE GRIST OF THE GODS.

"What can detain him?" For the hundredth time Alice Stanley asked the question as she looked anxiously from the window. The black February day promised to be succeeded by fitting night. The sky was overcast and the wind blew in fitful gusts. Down in the village, a few lights began to glow in the gray gloom. With a little shiver, Alice dropped the curtain. "I hope John won't be called out to-night. We haven't him a single evening for our own, have we, baby?" bending over the cradle.

Baby opened his eyes and cooed, extending his dimpled hands, and Alice bent to lift him just as she heard a step which set her heart beating, as in the days when John Stanley was Alice Dunbar's lover. He burst into the room with a cheerfulness and ease engendered by the comforting conviction that in his own castle he could shake off the subdued professional manner, which was sometimes a little galling.

"Well, Alice, why don't you scold me for keeping you waiting?" kissing mother and baby and throwing himself into the easy chair.

"You have kept us very long, John, but we consoled ourselves by thinking we shall have you all the evening."

"I hope so," heartily. "It's going to be a very bad night, and it can't be any one will be ill-natured enough to send for the doctor. It is hard, birdie, to have so lone some an eryie for you. When I remember how I coaxed you from your uncle's to this western hovel—"

Alice had been putting supper upon the table, but at this, she dropped the dishes and flew at him.

"You bad, wicked boy," she said, shaking him and covering his face with kisses, "if ever you utter such treason again, I shall punish you dreadfully! Oh, John, when I think of the old days at my uncle's when my heart was chilled by coldness and neglect, I am wicked enough to thank God because my uncle betrayed his trust and fled; for but for that you never would have told me you loved me. John, dear, when I think of my happiness as your wife, I almost tremble lest something come to mar it."

"Forgive me, Alice, but it was for your sake I regretted the loss of the luxuries you must miss."

"As if I ever had any luxuries that compared to precious, sweet Boy!" snatching him away, and ending the discussion.

Supper over, Dr. Stanley encoined himself in the great crimson arm-chair and enthroned his son upon his knee, while Alice dropped the red curtains after one shivering glance at the bleak night, then, bringing her sewing, prepared to hear all the doctor had gathered up in his day's tour around the three villages. A great sigh of content welled from Dr. Stanley's heart as he contemplated the cosy room, his wife's fair face, and the smiling little one on his knee. "No crowned king ever enjoyed greater happiness than is compassed by these four walls," he thought.

He was deep in a funny story, when a sharp knock checked the laugh on Alice's lips, and her eyes grew anxious as the little maid entered with the always dreaded yellow envelope. Dr. Stanley tore it open quickly and read:

"Come at once. Bad smashup."

DENNISON."

He placed the boy in the cradle, and quietly began his preparations. Alice was silent; she knew it was useless to attempt to dissuade her husband from doing what he deemed his duty nor was she the woman to do it, yet there was a sharp pain at her heart which impelled her to say as he tenderly kissed the child: "It will be dreadful going to Lorimer to-night, John."

"Oh, I can stand it. I will be back as soon as possible. And now, good-by, Alice."

As he flung open the door, a violent gust of wind blew the snow into their faces.

"Oh, John," cried his wife, in uncontrollable agitation, "don't go! I feel as though something terrible were menacing you. I cannot let you go, I cannot!"

"Alice," he said, almost sternly, "I never knew you to give way to this nonsense before. Would you not despise me were I selfishly to consult my own ease when these poor unfortunates need my aid? Go in, that's a good girl; nothing is wrong but your nerves."

A hurried embrace and he was gone. Alice barred the door and returned to the sitting-room, summoning her hand-maid or company, but Patty's presence proved small comfort, for after the most commendable endeavors to appear wide awake, she tumbled ignominiously on the floor.

"Never mind, Patty, it is near 12, time we were all asleep."

But the mistress lay wide-eyed and restless through the long hours, and at length throwing on her dressing gown hastened to the window. In the pitchy darkness, the storm raged with increasing fury and the little house seemed to rock at every blast. She was still striving to pierce the darkness when Patty entered, pale and shivering.

"I was that frightened, ma'am," she said, apologetically, "that I couldn't sleep, and, oh, ma'am, do you think we will be blown away entirely?" as another terrible blast shook the cottage.

"I hope not," in anything but a cheerful tone. She crossed the room and kneeling, looked upon the smiling face of the peacefully sleeping babe.

"Babe, dear babe," she whispered, "if the old superstition is true, pray to the angels for papa, for my heart tells me he needs help sore."

Dr. Stanley walked rapidly down to the village, quickening his step to a run as he heard a train whistle. "That must be the 10:15," he said. He reached the station, panting, just as the cars dashed past him.

"Bound for Lorimer, Doc?" said the station agent, with a laugh. "You're pretty badly left."

"So it seems," panted the doctor, "and there's not another to-night. Do you know anything of the accident there?"

"No. Has there been an accident?" the laugh dying out. "It's too confounded bad you are left."

"Will you lend me your bay, Jackson? I can ride over there."

"With pleasure, doctor, but you don't mean—"

"Yes I do," said Stanley, harnessing up the powerful animal.

"But, my God, doctor! there isn't a worse stretch from here to Denver. A mountain road, along precipices and chasms. Why, you are mad to think of it, even if there weren't a blizzard raging. Don't do it, Dr. Stanley."

"Nonsense, Jackson, this storm will soon lift. Wish me a safe passage. Good night."

Stanley pursued his way for some time with considerable rapidity until he gained the opening between the peaks, when he was obliged to proceed with extreme caution. The darkness was oppressive; the intensely fierce cold chilled his very heart, the biting wind blew in terrible gusts, which broke the snow into atoms so fine that breathing was rendered exceedingly difficult. Every particle struck his face like a fine splinter. At length he halted, trembling anxiously as he tried to shield the match while he consulted his watch. But it was impossible to fan the feeble light and he resumed his way, muttering—

"I have lost my way, I should be at Truett's now."

He knew that on each side were yawning chasms and cliffs, but how near he came to death, God alone knew. The whirling snow filled eyes and ears and nose, and his cut and bleeding skin caused him indescribable agony. The wind had redoubled its violence. He leaned forward, and sought to shield himself from its fury by clasping his arms around the horse's neck. At that instant, the animal halted, trembling from head to foot.

"My God, we are lost!" burst from Stanley. He was benumbed with cold, his breath came in gasps, and he felt that unless he could urge the horse forward, he must succumb. He was just making the attempt, when it flashed upon him that the instinct of the animal was warning it against danger unknown to the man.

He backed the horse cautiously, and then dismounting began to walk backward and forward by the animal's side, while the fury of the storm increased, and his steps became weaker and more uncertain, and the belief that death was near grew stronger in Stanley's soul.

He had braved without flinching the rebel's hottest fire, but what wonder that at thought of the remorseless, invisible foe, nearing him every second, the iron nerve shook, and the soul sickened? Oh, it was hopeless! He could never break the folds of the shroud winding about him.

He was sinking into the lethargy of despair, when like a dream of heaven came the thought of Alice and her child, Alice, whom he had coaxed into this wild land only to let her drink of the cup of happiness that she might better know the bitterness of the dregs. Doubtless she was praying for him now, poor girl. Then he pictured her watching for his coming, day after day, while the shadows fell heavily and more heavily upon her dear face, and at last, some traveler would stumble upon him—no, it—and then—

He could go farther with his imaginings. His heart seemed bursting and with a great effort he cried: "Oh, save me, save me! Not for my sake, O merciful Father, but theirs!"

As in answer to his prayer, his spirits rose in brightest exultation; the blood seemed to course through his veins like liquid fire. He felt an insane impulse to leap, but his feet were heavy as lead. He shouted, laughed and sang. His mind contemplated the most enchanting visions, and before his eyes floated the most beautiful colors. He felt capable of defying anything and everything. And yet through this horrible hallucination, a dual self seemed to direct his movements, and preserve him. At length, he made one desperate effort, and gained the saddle, then winding his arms again around the horse's neck, prayed God to enable him to hold out till dawn. How long, how long it was in coming!

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## HARRIET BEECHER-STOWE.

MRS. STOWE DISCUSSES HER RETROSPECTIVE WORK.

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Prominent in the study, in a niche between two windows, stands a picture of Henry Ward Beecher, so large, so strong, so lifelike, that it seems as if he were the host, standing ready to entertain the guests of his dear old sister, who adored him. Many fine paintings cover the walls, of a semi-religious cast, and by the old masters. Her book shelves are ranged in the walls, not hanging outside them or in cases, and flowers in the greatest profusion fill every nook and corner. Blue pervades the furnishing; the Venus de Milo, the Madonna and child, and the Duke and Duchess of Argyle keep each other mute company through the long unbroken stillnesses which bespeak the frequent absences of the gentle hostess, for she is a great outdoor woman, and may be seen taking her walks step by step through the trees these beautiful July mornings, her plain black dress covered with dandelion down, her hands filled with flowers, and her thin, dark face, browned by constant exposure, framed in loose gray locks and black bonnet, neither peaceful nor troubled, but waiting.

The dim gray eyes light up in conversation, however, and some sparks come from between the pale lips now and again, that impress one with what must have been. Her manners have a more kindly than courteous air, and are tinted with the grace of modern as well as old-time customs. Her hearing is wonderfully acute, and her intelligence glides side by side with that of guests, who she receives with the air of an old traveler, hailing a young one from some foreign part—neither curious nor interested, but forbearing.

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Here the gray eyes drop the light out of them, the thin brown hands wander to the white locks, and those knowing the dear old lady well know that soon they will be asked to excuse her while she lies down "to rest a little while."

"Ah, dear no, I am not writing anything now. I never shall write anything any more. I have done! I have done! I have done! And she lies down a little while—"to rest."

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**NEWTON CENTRE.**

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Davis are at Hull.

—New gutters are being laid on Pelham street.

—Mr. E. H. Eliot and wife are at Saratoga for a few weeks.

—Mr. Frank Edmonds has gone to Woods Hall, Mass.

—Mr. W. T. Robinson and family are at Portsmouth, N. H.

—Madame Bennet of Beacon street is quite seriously ill.

—Mr. W. H. Bartholomew and family are at Thetford, Vt.

—Mr. H. S. Sears and family are stopping at Ayer, Mass.

—Miss Carrie Chapman is spending a few weeks in Milton, Mass.

—Mr. J. R. Leeson and family are at St. Leon Springs, Canada.

—George Holmes has been spending a few days at Sharon, Mass.

—Miss Ida Davis returned from New Hampshire last Tuesday.

—Rev. Dr. S. F. Smith and family have gone to Hull for the summer.

—Prof. Harper of Yale is at present at the head of the Hebrew School.

—Mr. L. Currie from Prince Edward's Island is spending the summer here.

—Mr. Theodore Nickerson has returned from a business trip to Philadelphia.

—Mr. John H. Sanborn and family have gone to Avon, N. Y., to spend the summer.

—Miss Paul of Philadelphia, who has been visiting Dr. Hayden, has returned home.

—The Congregational church has been repaired by L. Haberstroh of this village.

—The work of filling in the square in front of Farnham's block is very nearly completed.

—The Armstrong brothers have opened a shoe store in Cousen's block, with a fine stock of goods.

—Mr. E. T. Colburn and family, and Mrs. Groves are at Wintthrop, Mass., where they will remain for three or four weeks.

—Mr. C. H. Wilson and family are spending the summer at "The Hamlet," their residence at Hulet's Landing, Lake George.

—Dr. Stearns, who visited the Colby University at Waterville, Me., last week, reports that he was very favorably impressed with the prosperity of the college.

—Prof. Heman Lincoln is preaching during the summer months in various parts of Massachusetts, Rhode Island and New York.

—The subject of Mrs. Maria Upham Drake's lecture at the Chautauqua Assembly next Friday is, "The Christian Home the Unit of Civilization."

—Mr. D. S. Newell has returned from a three weeks' visit to Cotuit. Strange to say he is able to report that the weather there has not been at all uncomfortable.

—Rev. Dr. Hovey has been spending some time in Philadelphia, where he is interested in editing a new complete commentary of the New Testament.

—The station has just received a coat of paint inside and out. The inside is in especially good taste, bright orange ceiling, robin's egg blue walls, and the wood work in imitation mahogany.

—Charles and Howard Rogers are spending the summer at camp "Jolly," Centre Harbor, N. H. They are only a quarter of a mile distant from the six members of the class of '88, N. H. S., who are camping out on Lake Winnepesaukee.

—Last week's statement of the number of students at the Hebrew summer school should be corrected. There are now between fifty and sixty, and in spite of the warm weather they are doing some very hard work.

—Rev. Charles Rufus Brown, Professor of Hebrew in Newton Theological Institution, received the honorary degree of Ph. D. as a token of honor for proficiency in Semitic language at the recent commencement at Colby University.

—The elective courses added last year to the regular course at the Theological Seminary proved to be very successful. The number of students attending was the largest ever obtained, and the prospects for next year indicate even greater enthusiasm and success than before.

—The work on the new Baptist church is progressing rapidly. The society hope the chapel will be ready for occupation as early as the end of this summer or the beginning of autumn. It is feared the church itself cannot be completed in time for the anniversary, which occurs in the latter part of next May.

—The wedding of Miss Elizabeth Tyler Clark, a daughter of President Charles P. Clark of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad, to Rev. Edward Young Hincks, D. D., a professor of Andover Academy, will take place July 20, at Kennebunkport, Me. A special train from Boston will take friends from this vicinity.

—Rev. Erastus Blakeslee, formerly residing on Summer street, closes his pastorate in New Haven to accept the presidency of Atlanta University, Ga., at the beginning of the academic year. This institution is one of the most important in the South, its aim being to encourage the higher education of the negro race.

—The ordination of Mr. J. B. Wilson, Newton '87, took place at the Baptist church, Peabody, on Thursday of last week. In the forenoon the usual council was held, and in the afternoon the ordination services. The church was crowded. Rev. Dr. C. B. Crane of Concord, N. H., preached the sermon, ordaining prayer by Rev. Charles R. Brown of Newton Theological Institution.

—Rev. and Mrs. Dr. D. A. W. Smith, recently arrived from Burnham, will pass the summer at Waterville, Me., where Mrs. Smith's sister, Rev. Mrs. Spencer resides. During the coming year Dr. Smith will be engaged with two other oriental linguists in revising the translation of the Bible in the Karen language, which was made by Rev. Dr. Mason. The work will be carried on in Boston, in which city it is considered

that the task can be pursued with better progress than in the East.

—The following warrant for a parish meeting has been issued by the Baptist society: A special meeting of the First Baptist society of Newton, will be held in Associates' Hall, Monday evening, July 18, 1887, to transact the following business, viz: First, to choose a moderator; second, to see what action the society will take in reference to the furnishing of the new church building and chapel; third, to transact any other business that may properly come before the society. Per order John H. Sanborn, clerk.

—A large party of Newton Centre young people have been camping out on Mr. Baker's premises, Wellesley, since the 20th of June. The party had the use of the castle and the large barn, and it is safe to say, enjoyed their stay immensely. Among others at the "hop" given Saturday night were Misses Brooks, Gardner, Ellis and Sawyer, Messrs. Fred and Joe Brooks, Bates, Warren and Newell. Mr. Baker was very kind and showed all the interesting places to the campers. Mrs. Reed of Boston and Mrs. Clark of Jamaica Plain were the chaperones. This is the second season that the young folks of this village have occupied Camp Spudlett.

—Commencement at Colby University Waterville, Me., occurred on Wednesday the 6th. The exercises of the graduating class at the church were of a very high order. Among those taking part was a graduate of the Mason School, Newton, Mr. Appleton White Smith of Davenport, Ia. Subject: "The Ministry of Nature." Mr. Smith is a son of Rev. Dr. D. A. W. Smith, president of Rangoon Baptist College, Burma, who was in attendance on the occasion, having recently arrived in this country. Dr. and Mrs. Smith also attended the graduating exercises of the class of '87 at Wellesley College, of which their eldest daughter, Miss Annie Smith, was a member.

—The evening of the Fourth will be remembered as one of rare beauty, when the whole course of nature seemed, for once, to be in harmony with the nation's annual holiday. While the bonfires and illuminations were going on at Crystal Lake, a night-blooming cereus at a private conservatory on Elgin street suddenly burst into bloom, filling the air with fragrance. This is regarded with hushed emotion, but on this occasion there was a flower for each of the original thirteen states of the union. The number was so suggestive that one of a poetic temperament might, if so disposed, consider it a coincidence worthy of note and record.

—A quite serious accident occurred Wednesday morning at the new Baptist church at about a quarter of ten. While the men were at work as usual, one of the scaffoldings which is about twenty feet high gave way and precipitated three of the masons to the ground. A number of sharp broken stones beneath the scaffolding made the fall more serious in its results. Thomas Murphy, who is 44 years old, and who arrived in this country from Ireland only last Saturday, was injured about his head, and it was feared internally. Patrick Regan, 39 years of age, was also injured about the head and shoulders. Regan has a family in Malden. The third, John Glover, of this village, was only slightly injured and expects to return to work in a day or two. The first two men were taken to the Cottage Hospital and were carefully tended. At the last accounts they were doing well, and were expected to recover rapidly.

**CHESTNUT HILL.**

—It is reported that Rev. A. W. Eaton, minister in charge of St. Andrews, has handed in his resignation. He is about to make a trip to Europe to remain for a couple of months.

—There is a very gratifying rumor in regard to a new Episcopal church for Chestnut Hill. Some friend in England is said to have left money for the purpose, sufficient to provide for the lot and a \$25,000 structure. The lot will be on the other side of the railroad from the present chapel, and plans are now being drawn for the building.

**NEWTON HIGHLANDS.**

—Miss Elizabeth L. Rand is at the St. Cloud Hotel, Nantasket.

—Miss Laura J. Galacer is spending a week in New Hampshire.

—Mr. E. J. Hyde and wife have gone to Hull to spend a few weeks.

—Miss Grace Bryant has gone to visit her aunt, Mrs. Chickering, at Dover, Mass.

—Mrs. L. D. Whittemore and her two daughters are at Manchester-by-the-Sea.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Dennison and daughter have gone to Fort Point, Stockton, Me., on the Penobscot, to spend their vacation.

—Mr. B. F. Whittemore and wife of Boston arrived at Mr. Whitings on Saturday, and will probably spend three or four months there.

—A drinking fountain has been placed on Walnut street near the railroad station, which is a great convenience to the public these warm days.

—We notice that the houses being built by Mr. L. D. Whittemore are nearly finished. These houses are first-class, and ought to meet with ready sale.

—Rev. Mr. Capen, a Baptist clergyman from Watertown, occupied the pulpit at the Congregational church last Sunday. Mr. S. Harrison Lovewell was the organist.

—Mr. Bragdon, who is building a house on Lake avenue, will not occupy it when finished, but has offered it for sale. Having more land he will probably erect another house for his own use.

—Mr. Andrew Jackson Gibson, Mr. Hall's first assistant in the market, has taken the tenement in postoffice block, over Greenwood's store. Mr. Gibson and infant have gone to Oxford, Mass., to make a visit to his father.

—Mr. Hiram Ross, who has the contract to build a fine residence for Mr. Edmonds, has a house nearly finished on Tappan Place, which is worthy of the attention of any one desiring a first-class house. An artist from New York is doing some bas relief frescoing in this house, which is its first appearance here.

—Mr. E. H. Corey, our genial and active station agent and wife have gone to Martha's Vineyard, and will stop at the Highland House, which affords a fine ocean view. After a few days tarry there, they will go to famous old Nantucket for a short

sojourn. E. H. Corey, Jr., will act as station agent during his father's absence, and Mr. Henry S. Josselyn will act as baggage-master.

—The Gamewell Fire Alarm Telegraph Company, of which Mr. J. W. Stover of Newtonville is president, now have their goods manufactured at the factory in this village. They are putting in their police telegraph system in the city of Pittsburgh, Penn., at a cost of \$30,000, and have just finished putting in their fire alarm telegraph system at Buffalo and Toronto. They have also made a contract to put the Gamewell system into the Fourth District of Boston.

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**NEWTON UPPER FALLS.**

—Mr. S. G. Curry and wife are at Cottage City.

—Miss Rose Kempton has gone to Nova Scotia for the summer.

—Miss Addie Scott is attending the teachers' convention at Chicago.

—Mr. C. E. Hussey and wife have gone to Rochester, N. H., for the summer.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Smith are at the Lake View camp grounds, South Framingham.

—The Baptist Sunday school and friends enjoyed a picnic at Swain's Grove, Dover, on Thursday.

—Mr. Martin Drake, treasurer of the Globe theatre, Boston, is spending a few days at Mr. J. A. Gould's.

—Rev. E. A. Howard of Dedham occupied the pulpit at the Methodist church last Sunday, being on an exchange with Rev. Mr. Peterson.

—The Superior Wax Paper company, who have been doing business in our village for a short time, has failed, and made an assignment for the benefit of the creditors.

—Work was commenced upon the Methodist church this week, and the contemplated repairs will be pushed as rapidly as possible. There will be services in the vestry next Sabbath instead of in the audience room.

**NEWTON LOWER FALLS.**

—Mrs. William Jackson and family have closed their house and taken rooms for the summer at the Standish, Duxbury.

—The electric light which was placed near the bridge is found to be in the wrong position, and is to be moved to the foot of Concord street, where the pole has been set for it during the past week.

—Mr. H. H. Miles has given up his business as contractor and gone into the grocery business as partner in the firm of Murray & Miles, Newton. His position in the fire department is filled for the present by Mr. Coreoran.

—For some strange and unaccountable reason the fountain lamp has not been lighted recently, and the condition of darkness and gloom in that vicinity renders it very dangerous, especially when two or more carriages are stopped there at the same time as frequently happens.

**The Objective Element.**

Mr. John W. Dickinson, secretary of the State Board of Education, delivered an address on "The Objective Element in Education," at the Educational Convention in Chicago. The following abstract is given:

"The activity required by school exercises is that which produces knowledge and a right development of the faculties. To occasion this activity, appropriate objects and subjects of thought must be presented to the learner's mind. The act of presenting these things, for the accomplishment of the two ends which school exercises have their objects to accomplish, may be called teaching. The different means used in teaching, and the different ways in which the means are used, give rise to different methods of teaching. If the means are the real objects themselves, the objective method is employed. The objects of knowledge may be presented, first, as integral units, and afterward analyzed in an orderly manner for a study of their parts and attributes. If this is done, the analytic method is followed. There is a representative method which consists in the use of illustrations or of verbal descriptions, used as substitutes for the things to be known. The value of any method of teaching will depend on its relations to the ends to be secured by school exercises. Suppose the ends to be knowledge and mental training, then that method will be the true one which is founded on those laws of the mind that determine its ways of learning and the conditions of its growth.

"Through our experiences we learn that knowledge of all kinds can be occasioned only by the presence to the mind, or in it, of the objects of knowledge. From this we may infer that one of the principles of teaching is founded on that law of the mind which limits its activity in acquiring knowledge to objects in its presence. A second principle of teaching may be derived from the law of the mind which requires, for a complete knowledge of an object of thought, that it shall be studied, first, as an integral unit or a whole, and, secondly, as composed of parts related to one another. Again, the mind must know the facts of science as a condition for the comprehension of scientific knowledge.

"From the necessary conditions of mental development may be derived another principle of teaching found in the mental law, which requires the learner to exercise his active power on appropriate objects of knowledge, that the facility in acting, which constitutes mental development itself, may be acquired. From these things it appears that the true method of teaching must be in harmony with principles found in those laws of the human mind which control its activity in acquiring knowledge and power, and that this method may be called the objective analytic method. The term objective directs our attention to the means to be employed in teaching; analytic to the way in which the means are to be used."

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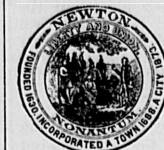
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## NEWTON.

—Mr. A. B. Allison has gone to Ludlow,  
Vt.

—Mr. Arthur Hudson is at Nantasket for  
a fortnight.

—Mr. George R. McFarlin and family are  
at Mattapoisett.

—J. Wallace Goodrich is spending a week  
at Holderness, N. H.

—Mr. John T. Hemingway and family  
are at North Conway, N. H.

—Mrs. Henry Tolman and family are at  
Cutler, Me., for the summer.

—Mr. C. B. Lancaster and family have  
gone to Kennebunkport, Me.

—Mr. James Paxton and son are at East-  
ham, Mass., for a couple of weeks.

—Dr. J. F. Friable left on Monday for  
his annual visit to the White Mountains.

—Mr. W. W. Stall of the Newton Bicycle  
Club and Mrs. Stall are at Cottage City.

—Give your order for cleaning furnaces  
to Stiles, the tinsmith, rear of post office.

—Aldermen J. Edward Hollis and wife  
are spending a few days at Saratoga, N. Y.

—Rev. Calvin Stebbins of Worcester will  
preach at the Channing Church Sunday  
morning.

—Garden City Encampment of the Odd  
Fellows initiated three new candidates  
Monday evening.

—Mrs. Hannah Howes of this city has  
bought Mr. Hervey's cottage on Clinton  
avenue, Cottage City.

—Prof J. B. Taylor of the Berkley school  
and family are spending the summer at  
East Gloucester, Mass.

—Mr. John Halfrey, sexton of Grace  
church, and daughter, have gone to Canaan,  
Me., for a few weeks.

—Mr. George Linder's family were stop-  
ping at the Cotocheset House at the time  
of the fire Sunday morning.

—Mr. D. W. Beckler and wife and Miss  
Flora Beckler are at the Hotel Hunnewell  
for the summer.

—Miss Currier of Wellesley College, who  
has been visiting Mrs. C. F. Lang, has gone  
to Deerfield, N. H., for the summer.

—There are now eight children in the  
Wesleyan Home in this city, and an appeal  
is made for funds for current expenses.

—Mr. and Mrs. Channing Lily, Miss Josie  
Lily and Miss Edith Ballister sail from  
Liverpool on the Cephalonia August 2d  
for home.

—Mrs. Caroline Flint and Miss Nellie  
Flint of Hotel Hunnewell left this week  
for Morrisville, N. Y., to remain during  
August.

—The Athletics have secured three more  
players, formerly the out-field of the well-  
known Middleboro club. They will play at  
Arlington Saturday.

—Mrs. John A. Kenrick and daughter,  
Mrs. J. Q. Henry, Mrs. W. H. Brackett and  
Mrs. Albert Brackett left this week for  
Kennebunkport, Me.

—The streets around Farlow Park are  
being greatly improved. Concrete side-  
walks have been laid, and the steam roller  
is doing good work.

—Alderman Harwood is making many  
friends among the people of his own ward,  
by the energy he displays in forwarding  
needed public improvements.

—Gov. Ormsbee of Vermont was the  
guest last week of Mr. and Mrs. Moses  
King. Gov. Ormsbee and Mrs. King are  
natives of the same town in Vermont.

—Clara D. Reid, M. D., Homeopathist,  
of Bellows Falls, has rented Mr. G. S.  
Woodbridge's house on Park street, and  
will take up her residence here the first of  
next month.

—Rev. Dr. Calkins sailed for Europe last  
Saturday, a week earlier than he at first  
intended. The Eliot Church pulpit was  
supplied in the morning by Rev. Dr. Fur-  
ber of Newton Centre, and in the evening  
by Rev. Mr. Wilson of Watertown.

—A young boy who wishes to enter the  
High School this fall would like to live  
with some family, paying for his board by  
doing errands or chores. Good recom-  
mendations can be furnished to any one ap-  
plying at the GRAPHIC office.

—It is expected that the memorial to  
Mrs. Sarah W. Freeland will be dedicated  
in the chapel of Grace Church at a service  
to be held at 4:30 p. m., Monday, July 25,  
the festival of St. James. It is of Caen  
stone, and forms a reared back of the altar,  
giving by her in memory of her hus-  
band.

—It is understood that Mr. Cutler has a  
number of private pupils during the sum-  
mer, and that he will open a private school  
for boys in Newton in September. It will  
be a rare opportunity for those who are  
preparing for college or for the Institute.  
It will be a great saving of time for those  
who seek a thorough training, and who  
want to pass the freshman examinations  
without conditions.

—At the last meeting of the Charles  
Ward Post of the Grand Army a motion  
was unanimously passed favoring the  
Dependent Pension Bill which President  
Cleveland vetoed last winter. A large  
number of the Grand Army posts have ex-  
pressed themselves similarly, and have re-  
solved to call this to the attention of the  
Democratic congressmen, who claim the  
bill would be distasteful to ex-soldiers.

—The Claffin Guards turned out on Tues-  
day with full ranks, 59 men and three offi-  
cers, a larger number than has been sent  
to camp for years. Captain Benyon's ef-  
forts were responded to by the men, and  
the company made a fine appearance as it  
proceeded through the streets on the way  
to the depot. On the colonel's staff are  
Frederick P. Barnes of Auburndale and  
Robert P. Edes of Newton.

—Rev. H. L. Hastings was announced to  
speak on the bank grounds last Sunday,  
but the sudden rain storm made it necessary  
to adjourn over to Eliot Hall, which was  
well filled. Rev. Mr. Hastings in his usual  
impressive manner illustrated the restles-  
sness of those who try to find comfort and  
peace out of anything of a worldly nature,  
and showed that in order to get perfect  
rest and peace we must get it from God  
alone. Next Sunday Rev. H. F. Titus of

the Baptist Church will address the Y. M.  
C. A. meeting at 4 o'clock.

—The slating on Mr. Levi B. Gay's new  
house has been completed.

—William Ripley has gone to Shirley  
Hills to spend a few days.

—B. O. Atkins is at Truro, Cape Cod, for  
a few weeks' vacation.

—Mr. S. W. Tucker's family have gone  
to Portland, Me., for the summer.

—Mr. F. G. Richardson has rented the  
Bacon cottage on Emerson place.

—Charles Jones has returned from his  
two week's trip in Nova Scotia and Canada.

—H. C. Robbins, secretary of the New-  
ton Bicycle club, was one of the party of  
cyclists that started on the grand Canadian  
tour.

—The Newton Boat club at its meeting  
last Friday night, adopted the amendment  
to the by-laws, limiting the time for pay-  
ing assessments to 90 days.

—Mr. James C. Elms, Jr., of this village,  
is having a beautiful residence built at  
Ashmont, where it is understood he will  
soon take up his residence.

—Judge Gardner of the supreme court  
has improved so much in health that his  
London physician pronounces him fit to  
travel, and it is expected that he will reach  
home August 8.

—The Boston police have not stopped  
the sale of liquor over the Newton line on  
Tremont street, judging from the number  
of intoxicated men who come from that  
direction.

—Miss Etta Kinder is spending her vaca-  
tion as a guest of Rev. and Mrs. C. H.  
Walters of Cohasset, Mass. She will also  
accompany them to the camp meeting  
grounds, Lake View, South Framingham.

—Robert Walker of Waltham, well  
known to many as night operator at the  
Central telephone office, Newton, will en-  
ter Trinity College, Hartford, Conn., Sept.  
16th.

—The retail coal dealers of Newton,  
Brighton, Waltham and Watertown, held  
a meeting at Waltham a few days ago, and  
made a contract to have their prices agree  
during the season.

—Waban Lodge, I. O. O. F., have placed  
a beautiful stone in Newton cemetery over  
the grave of the late William H. Park. He  
was a highly respected member of that  
association.

—Judge Park continues to improve, in  
spite of the unfavorable weather, and is  
now able to sit up part of the day. He is  
still forbidden to see callers, but he is able  
to converse with his family, and manifests  
a keen interest in the news of the day.  
His condition is very encouraging.

—A meeting of the stockholders of the  
Newton and Watertown Gas Light Company  
was held on Wednesday last, to determine  
the question whether the company should  
engage in the business of furnishing elec-  
tric light. Considerably more than two-thirds  
of the stockholders, and nearly all the  
directors, were present, and it was  
voted unanimously to go into the business.  
It was also voted to authorize the Directors  
to make an application to the Board of Gas  
Commissioners for the necessary authority.

—Newton has been largely represented  
at Kennebunkport, Me., this week. At the  
Ken View House were registered E. O.  
Childs, wife and two children, and Miss  
Annie Cox; at the Glen House, Miss Mary  
E. Lowell, Mrs. Frence H. Lowell, Mas-  
ter Walter H. Lowell and nurse; at the  
Parker House, Chas. A. Drew, wife and  
daughter, Chas. F. Rand and wife, Chas. E.  
Eddy, wife and three children. There are  
also a large number from this city at the  
cottage, and in a short ride on Monday  
twenty-four Newtonians were encountered.  
All speak of it as a delightful refuge from  
the heat.

—The Shoe and Leather Reporter has  
an interesting article in its last issue on  
the Shoe and Leather trade and National  
banks of Boston. The leather and shoe  
trade is the most prominent branch of trade  
represented in Boston, as the other trades  
have moved westward. So much wealth is  
represented in the trade that the competi-  
tion among banks for a share of the busi-  
ness has been lively, and fully half of  
them have shoe and leather men among  
their directors. Newton has long been a  
favorite place of residence for the men en-  
gaged in the leather trade. Among those  
who are also upon the board of directors  
of national banks are Wm. Claffin, of the  
firm of Claffin, Coburn & Co., who is a di-  
rector of the National Hide and Leather  
bank. The Shoe and Leather National  
bank has John Q. Henry, of the firm of  
Henry & Daniels as its president, J. C.  
Elms is vice-president, and George D.  
Coburn, of Coburn, Fuller & Co., is on  
the board of directors. E. L. Pickard, of  
W. W. Rice & Co., is a di-  
rector of the National City bank; John C.  
Potter, of Potter, White & Bayley, Nation-  
al Revere bank. The Reporter says this is  
only a partial list, but it has some sub-  
stantial men upon it.

### Newton Club Road Race.

The first road race of the series for the  
Newton Bicycle club championship, with  
medals for first, second and third men, will  
take place Saturday, July 30, at 4 p. m.  
The start will be from Eliot block, and the  
route will be via Washington street to  
Natick and return, the course covering 25  
miles. This race is a handicap for amateurs,  
and all entries should be made to the handi-  
capper, W. W. Stall, 509 Tremont street,  
Boston, on or before July 26.

### Base Ball.

The Athletic Base Ball club will play  
their final league game, this Saturday, at  
Arlington. A four horse barge will leave  
the Newton depot at 2 o'clock prompt to  
convey the large crowd that will accom-  
pany the boys. At the conclusion of the  
game the beautiful silk pennant that the  
club have been contesting for will be pre-  
sented to the Athletics, as champions of the  
Boston Suburban League, by a delegation  
of gentlemen from the league.

### Probabilities

That when cool weather comes you will fret and  
scurd because your furnace is not in order. Give  
your orders to Stiles, the tinsmith, to-day and have  
it put in readiness.

## CROWNINSHIELD-STONE STORY.

It Proves to be True in all  
Particulars.

Miss Stone a Resident of Chest-  
nut Hill.

Mr. Crowninshield the Giver of the  
Memorial Chapel.

A New York paper published a very ro-  
mantic story in regard to a proposed al-  
liance between representatives of the  
Boston families of Crowninshield and  
Stone, which was copied into the Boston  
Herald on Tuesday, and caused quite a sen-  
sation. The reporters immediately set to  
work to identify the parties, but failing in  
this the story was denounced as the con-  
coction of some imaginative journalist.

Facts have come into the possession of  
the GRAPHIC, showing that the story was  
true in all essential particulars, and that  
Newton people are directly interested in it,  
as Miss Florence Stone, the heroine of the  
sad story, resides in Chestnut Hill, and Mr.  
Crowninshield, the gentleman to whom  
she was engaged, was the proposed giver  
of the \$25,000 memorial chapel, which the  
GRAPHIC announced last week was to be  
built at Chestnut Hill.

For a year or more past Miss Florence  
Stone has been a governess in the family  
of Mr. B. H. Coffin, who resides at the  
Reservoir Station near Chestnut Hill. She  
was a very graceful and accomplished lady,  
whose family was once very wealthy, but  
had lost their property. Some six  
months ago she met a gentleman to whom  
she had once been engaged, Mr. Crownin-  
shield, and as he was a widower, another  
engagement was the result.

The original story, for which we cannot  
vouch, was that the first engagement was  
broken while both were quite young, after  
which Mr. Crowninshield and his sister  
went to Europe, and the latter married  
into the British peerage. Mr. Crownin-  
shield engaged in business, married, and  
when his wife died after the birth of their  
third child, he found himself many times a  
millionaire. Coming to America on a visit,  
he met Miss Stone by the merest chance,  
and an engagement followed.

Finding that his fiancée was deeply inter-  
ested in St. Andrew's church in Chestnut  
Hill, now meeting in a hired chapel, Mr.  
Crowninshield bought through Mr. Coffin  
a lot of land near the Brookline line, and  
proposed to build there a memorial chapel  
to a deceased friend, to cost some \$25,000.

The architect was consulted, the church  
had consented to accept the gift, and work  
was to begin after the marriage. Mr.  
Crowninshield had to go west some months  
ago to look up his title to a valuable piece  
of property, and there found that he must  
go to Calcutta, to consult the only person  
living who knew about it. Returning to  
Chestnut Hill he made arrangements for  
Miss Stone to go to London and meet him  
on his return, when they were to be mar-  
ried in St. George's chapel. The trousseau  
was ordered from Paris, and Miss Stone  
was asked to invite her family and as many  
friends as she desired to the wedding, to  
select staterooms for them on the Cunard  
steamer to sail last Saturday, and to pay  
all their expenses until they returned. Rev.  
A. W. Eaton was invited to assist at the  
marriage ceremony and among the guests  
from Chestnut Hill were the Messrs.  
Haughton and the family of Mr. Coffin.  
The wedding was to be of the most elabo-  
rate character. Mr. Crowninshield's sister  
having charge of the preparations in Lon-  
don. It was to take place early in August,  
and last Saturday Miss Stone and a large  
party were in New York intending to sail  
on the Etruria. In the morning while vis-  
iting her bankers, in company with Mr.  
Hall, the confidential agent of Mr. Crown-  
inshield, the latter received a cablegram  
with the dreadful intelligence that Mr.  
Crowninshield had died on the steamer re-  
turning from Calcutta, and was buried at  
sea. The news was broken as gently as  
possible to the unfortunate lady, who was  
completely prostrated. Mr. Hall was sum-  
moned to London by another cablegram,  
and Miss Stone remained with friends in  
New York.

The main facts of the story are well  
known at Chestnut Hill, but all arrange-  
ments about the chapel have of course been  
postponed, until it is known whether Mr.  
Crowninshield made provisions for it in  
his will. It is believed that his desire will  
be carried out, and that a bountiful provi-  
sion will be made for the unfortunate lady  
who was to have been his wife.

### List of Letters

Remaining in the Post Office at Newton,  
Middlesex County, Mass., July 9, 1887.

### WOMEN.



[Written for the GRAPHIC.]  
**WOMAN'S WORK.**

**AN APPEAL IN BEHALF OF THE HELPING HAND SOCIETY.**

In this "Era of Woman," the amount of labor that is being performed by woman is scarcely appreciated by the unobservant.

Women are not now more than formerly "unsexing" themselves by monopolizing the labor most appropriate to men. They are not carrying the hod, laying bricks at the top of eight story buildings, driving coal carts, arresting criminals, digging canals, or laying railways. They are, however, qualifying themselves to sustain the hod carrier in his legitimate and inalienable rights, by giving to him, and to all laborers and artisans in the coming time, better mothers, wiser counselors, and more intelligent teachers. They are building—not simply houses, but—homes from the material from which the true home must be built; intelligence in the central and ruling power; training girls and boys for the responsibilities of domestic life. They are diminishing the need of the stalwart policeman by developing in the community a higher and truer standard of morals.

They are digging deep the channels through which may flow the sweet influences of a rectified soul force, and are laying on solid foundation the parallel lines of paternal and maternal influence in the laws of heredity, over which may be safely transported coming generations, as the flood of travel tends ever to the metropolis of the "Great Beyond."

All these are but a few items in the work which is being done by women all about us.

Organizations in full and successful operation, for the instruction, the development, the reformation—when needed, and the general and particular elevation of the race, and especially of their own sex—dot the land as stars bespangle the heavens, and their lights are glimmering amid the darkness, as the stars glint through the broken clouds. Time shall gather the harvests from this seed sowing, but eternity shall be the granary.

To the organized institutions for the care and culture of the otherwise uncared for in the community has been added one for the care and culture, the succor and help of working girls, a class too much and too long neglected.

This society is called the New England Helping Hand Society. It is not to be limited in its labors of love, to Boston or Massachusetts, but will endeavor to extend its influence all over the New England States, and to establish homes wherever they are needed, the central home remaining in Boston.

Though in its present form, this society is but an infant, its outlook is most promising. Its membership is larger than many much older associations, and it is conducted by women, some of whom are already well known for their philanthropy and reliability.

For the purpose of increasing their funds, arrangements have been made for a Fair at Horticultural Hall from Oct. 31 to Nov. 7th. Soon after this, the first "Home for Working Girls" will be opened, where from twelve years old and upward, such working girls can, for a nominal sum, have the advantages and comforts of a home. Here they will be instructed in the manifold uses of leisure time, including much needed recreations and entertainment, and by personal contact and influence of the cultivated and refined they will be induced to make for themselves standards of morals and manners far beyond and above anything they had yet conceived.

Matrons will be employed for all service that shall be necessary; but the ladies of the association will have such a supervision of the inmates of the home, as shall secure faithful ethical instruction, as well as mental training and physical supplies.

The Fair, from which it is desirable that a large sum of money shall be realized—the high character of those interested being a sufficient guarantee that such money will be wisely expended—is to be on an unusually large and comprehensive scale. It introduces the novel feature of a veritable market with about twenty stalls, which are to contain everything with which to supply the most elaborate table, or fill the most commodious larder. This, with the Cafe is to be open to the public through the week of the fair, without entrance fee. The Cafe will be supplied by one of the best caterers in the state, and under the supervision of an unsurpassed chef. Altogether the preparations for "your money's worth" are ample and secure.

That such a home as the one now projected, is needed in Boston, and in many other places, requires no argument to any who will take the trouble to walk with open eyes the streets of our cities and manufacturing villages at nightfall. The children who are found there are not all of city or town origin. Many a girl is forced from her usual home to seek employment in shops and stores in towns. Inexperienced and simple-hearted, these are almost the first to fall victims to the allurements so novel to them, and which so insidiously and almost inevitably lead to destruction.

In a letter to the officers of this association, Mrs. Mary A. Livermore says:

"Your charity is a much-needed one, and appeals to me strongly. Why do we not have in the city of Boston, where women outnumber men by twenty-two thousand, where there are thirty thousand working women, whose wages are phenomenally low;—why do we not have an organization for women like the 'Young Men's Christian Association?' Do men—young men only, in Boston—need help and protection, instruction and righteous environments, to save them from the devil?"

One woman, goaded by want, hunger and a lack of friends, or stimulated by a love of display and a desire for ease, or born with the fires of lust in her blood, will be equal to the dragging down and ruin of half a score of young men. Why do not the Christian people see it? Why are women obliged to do the work on such a small scale, which could be better done, and more economically, on a grand plan like that of these associations?"

All this can and will be done by the "Helping Hand," when enough are as much in earnest as Mrs. Livermore, who emphasizes her sympathy by adding, "I will become an honorary vice-president, and also a life member, by the payment of the prescribed fee of twenty-five dollars."

Let every one, from the widow and orphan, whose mite will be as gratefully received as the hundred thousand of the millionaire give according to the means entrusted to them, and the work of redemption shall equal, if not exceed, that of any other association for the amelioration of the hard fate of the unfortunate, or for the building of better conditions for the helpers. No other society strikes as this does, at the very root of social and society evils; for the "Helping Hand" takes in time the future mothers of our land, and trains them to become competitors to mould the coming men and women, who, in their turn, must mould the destinies of our nation.

Why, indeed, should men need so much more protection than their sisters? The Women's Christian Association lives and does its work, but it cannot do it all. This society would work by its side and fill a constantly widening gap.

Non-sectarian, recognizing in the applicants for help neither creed or color, on the broadest principles of philanthropy; in recognition of the common Fatherhood of God, the common brother and sisterhood of His children, the Helping Hand asks your confidence, your sympathy, your substantial assistance. Just now will you let that assistance come in the shape of ornamental and useful articles for the fair, when this is more convenient than money. In October will our gardening and farming friends send us anything that is convertible into money through the market, and so have the satisfaction of knowing that they have aided a good cause and, perchance, been the means of rescuing one tempted child. Looking in the faces of your own children, think of the thousands of homeless ones who make through this society their appeal to you.

Articles for the fair may be sent to the writer during the summer, or at any time before Oct. 31. Articles for the market may be sent to her, care of Fair Committee, Horticultural Hall, Boston, between Oct. 29 and Nov. 7.

More specific information may be obtained at any time by addressing Mrs. E. T. Hill, Box 1871, Boston; or:

MISS A. M. BEECHER,  
Newtonville, Mass.

**The Old and New.**

Long ago the old lumbering stage coach was superseded by the railroad, and now electricity bids fair to displace steam. So the world moves. The old doctors bled and blistered for almost every disease. Later on, calomel became the universal remedy. At the present day, an alternative is demanded, and every body is using Ayer's Sarsaparilla, that being the best of its kind, and almost a cathartic in the range of its curative properties. This medicine came to stay.

"If you wish to restore the bloom to your wasted cheek, and so improve your health that plumpness and strength will succeed, association and debility, purify your blood with Ayer's Sarsaparilla. This remedy will benefit you more surely and speedily than any other."

Ely's Cream Balm was recommended to me by my druggist as a preventive to hay fever. Have been using it as directed since the 9th of August, and have found it a specific for that much dreaded and loathsome disease. For ten years or more I have been a great sufferer each year, from August 9th till frost, and have tried many alleged remedies for its cure, but Ely's Cream Balm is the only preventive I have ever found. Hay fever sufferers ought to know of its efficacy.—F. B. Ainsworth, Publisher, Indianapolis, Ind.

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Liver & Pimples Coated with a yellow sticky substance? Is your face unable to walk, or breath foul and are flat on your back, offensive? Your gut get some at once, it stomach is out of order. Use Sulphur Bitters!  
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Send 3 2-cent stamps to A. P. Ordway & Co., Boston, Mass., for best medical work published.

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## PRESIDENT SODEN.

THE HEAD OF THE BOSTON BALL CLUB AS SEEN BY A JOURNALIST.

A Boston correspondent of the New York Sun has the following to say relative to Mr. A. H. Soden, of Newtonville, president of the Boston Base Ball Club, and his co-directors:

On the Boston base ball grounds, in the long and narrow pen that is occupied by the reporters, there are three seats reserved for the directors. Two of these are ordinarily vacant. The third belongs to President A. H. Soden, and at three games out of four he is found in it, sitting directly on a line with the pitcher and catcher, and with his sharp eyes always open for an error, either by the players or the umpire. Mr. Soden is the biggest man in base ball that New England can show. His power in the Boston club is almost absolute, and the money that he has been making out of the sport in the past few years has caused him to be the object of envy in some managerial quarters. Mr. Soden is a stoutly built, rather short man, with a chubby, smooth face. He has a bull-dog tenacity of purpose, and he clung to the Boston club when it was almost hopelessly bankrupt in everybody else's estimation. He pulled it through its financial trouble and placed it on its feet, and now he sees the stock way up in value, and none of it to be had for love or money. He gets a good deal of abuse in certain quarters for what is complained of as niggardly policy, but it is hard to see why he should be blamed by the public. He is giving the public better ball playing by the home club than it ever had before, and he is applying the same principles to the club management that successful men of business always apply when they want to make money. He is between 45 and 50 years of age, and, besides his base ball work, is actively engaged in the manufacturing of roofing material, having a factory in Chelsea.

About ten years ago he became a stockholder in the Boston club, buying three shares of stock at the solicitation of a friend, and not particularly because he wanted it. He paid \$20 a share, which was 20 per cent. of the par value. When the club was started in 1871 there were 150 shares at a par value of \$100 each. Although the club secured and held the championship of the country for several years, it couldn't seem to make money, but dropped behind almost every year. The stockholders were called on for frequent assessments to make up deficiencies. Finally, on a call for \$30 a share, a majority of them refused and decided that rather than pay it they would forfeit their stock in the club, which they didn't believe would ever pay dividends. Seventy-two shares of stock were therefore relinquished and passed into the treasury, where they remain to this day. Of the present capital stock, 65 shares are owned by the three directors, and the balance—13 shares—are held by 13 of the original stockholders who have held on to their property through thin and thick, and who would hardly exchange it now, dollar for dollar, for Bell telephone. I know one of these 13 who has been offered \$500 for his one share and declined to sell. These 13 lucky men are the veterans Harry Wright, now of Philadelphia, John C. Haynes, George B. Appleton, E. B. Mayo, F. H. Briggs, F. E. Long, C. B. Corey, F. F. Rounney, Charles H. Porter, and one other. The Boston club was at its lowest point four seasons ago. The playing season here had to be shortened one month, and there was a deficiency of \$6,000. Mr. Soden put his hand down into his pocket, and took out that amount, and with it paid the arrears in players' salary. If he had not done so there would likely have been no nine here the following season. The public had become disgusted with the poor playing of the Boston team, and though the salaries that year were high, the nine were doing nothing to inspire confidence. When the next year came round President Soden went to work with a determination to make a success of base ball in a business way. Every year since that he has done better than the year before. The club has bought the grounds at the South end, and with a mortgage which is no larger than can be carried comfortably, that danger under which the old club labored, of being turned off its grounds at the expiration of a short term lease, is no longer felt. Next year a new and well-appointed grand stand is to be built, at a cost of not less than \$30,000.

President Soden's co-magnates and his fellow owners in the great lion's share of the club stock are Mr. J. B. Billings, the treasurer, and Mr. Conant, vice-president. Billings is one of the old-timers, and is a successful boot and shoe manufacturer. Conant is a manufacturer of rubber goods, and the heaviest man, financially, in the triumvirate. He could probably draw his check for half a million. Mr. Soden, as the representative of the Boston club, is one of the most influential members of the National League. One of his peculiarities is an unwillingness to furnish material for illustrated journalism. He never will consent to sit for a photograph for fear that his likeness may appear in some newspaper. An old ball tosser himself, he has trained up a son in the same sport, and his son is now the best pitcher in the league of suburban clubs, and twirls for the Newton (Mass.) Club.

## A Knowing Dog.

There is a legend of a dog who lived in the country and who always left his master's house when any of his neighbors had distinguished guests to stay with them. He invited himself to join them, acting on Thackeray's principle that if you wish to be asked to a party there is nothing like asking to be asked. The instance of this dog may be considered adverse to our theory that beasts are incapable of conscious happiness. The dog, it may plausibly be urged, would have been wretched in his mind had he dined at home, where there was only the family, when he knew well that a party had been asked to the neighboring castle to meet a distinguished person. But this hound must be considered an exception, like the celebrated dancing dog of Theophile Gautier. This dog once saw a performing beast of his own species at a fair. The tricks and laurels of the performing dog would not permit him to sleep. M. Gautier missed him often, and one day found him practicing his steps by himself in an empty room. When he thought himself perfect, he had an "at home" and exhibited before the dogs of the neighborhood.—[Boston Record.

(Written for the Graphic.)

## "How to be Happy though Married."

There are various ways of putting things. Old Skelton when he preached his sermon with such a quaint title as the above heading, must have started his hearers first and instructed them afterwards. An ordinary book on "Courtship and Marriage," and a heavy treatise on the "Duties of Husbands and Wives," would, in these days, meet with a cold reception and find out few readers. But here comes an author who, adopting old Skelton's quaint phrase, puts forth a work that is as fascinating as any novel, and so full of information that no one can read it without gaining some profit from it, whether the reader be a young girl expecting an offer, a young man planning a wedding trip, or an old husband thinking of celebrating a silver wedding.

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"On making the best of a bad matrimonial bargain."

"Honeymooning."

"Married people's money."

"They had a few words."

"Putting together."

"Nets and cages, and so on."

The author of the book is a master of good English too, and says what he has to say in very terse and graceful fashion. Take for example the following: "While the possession of a little money is by no means a drawback, who many for money alone. Though Cupid is said to be blind, he is a better guide than the rules of Arithmetic. Better to have a fortune in your wife than with her. Above all things do not marry a fool, who will shame you and reveal your secrets."

"In their haste to be married, many women are too easily satisfied with the character of men who may offer themselves as husbands. They aim at matrimony in the abstract, not the man, but any man."

"Some women marry for a home, because they have not been trained to fight the battle of life for themselves, and because their lives are so dull and stagnant that they think any change must be for the better."

"When a man comes home tired, hungry, and put out about something that has gone wrong in business, this is not the time for the wife to order him to stand and deliver his secret troubles. Rather she should give him a well cooked dinner and say little or nothing. Later on in the evening when he is rested and has smoked a pipe of peace, he will be only too glad to give her his confidence in return for her sympathetic treatment of him."

The author is a good story-teller. He goes directly to the point, and all his stories have a purpose too.

Thus, in illustrating how some women are disappointed in their husbands, he tells of the Scotch horse dealer, who, over a bottle, was induced to confess a horse's failings. The horse had only two. When turned loose in the field he was hard to catch, and when caught he was of no use. A poor woman might say the same of her husband. She had to make many nets to catch him, and when caught, well he forgot that husbands have duties. To illustrate how some people stretch their company manners, he tells of a minister at a bishop's table, before whom a bad egg had been placed. The bishop discovering it apologized to his guest and bade the servant bring a fresh one. "No, thank you, my lord," replied the minister, "this will do it quite good enough for me." In another chapter he says: "It is better for married people to take pride in their children than to be as indifferent to them as was a certain old lady, who had brought up a family of children near a river. A gentleman once said to her, 'I should think you would have lived in constant fear that some of them would have got drowned.' 'Oh no,' replied she, 'we only lost three or four in that way.'"

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I once resided for several years in the Lake District of Michigan, where I contracted malaria. A vigorous constitution enabled me to resist for a time the encroachments of the disease, but continued exposure to the early morning fogs and to the night damps so fastened the disease upon me that I almost despaired of getting completely rid of it. For it eventually developed into a chronic type of intermittent malarial fever, with all its distressing symptoms. This continued for eight years. In this long period of course I experienced all the well-known peculiarities of many successive attacks; the chill, the fever, the distention of the stomach, and all the functions of digestion, the heavy headaches, the painful limbs and back, and the characteristic sensitiveness to changes in the weather, which impart to the chronic sufferer from malaria something of the powers of a barometer. My appetite came and went, but obeyed no natural rule. Sometimes I had a morbid craving for food, and then found myself unable to tolerate the most tempting and delicate dishes, until from a lack of proper nourishment I was transformed from a vigorous, active man into a weak, fagged-out being to whom the very thought of exertion was unwelcome. In addition to malaria I was evidently the victim of indigestion.

As for medical treatment all was done that apparently could be done. I used all the accepted remedies, including quinine, but all failed to give more than transient relief. My experience satisfies me that quinine is not a true tonic nor a safe medicine for those who habitually depend upon it. It seldom or never works a radical cure and often, if not generally, produces results which are in themselves distressing.

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## A MODEL CANDIDATE.

The Springfield Republican thinks that Robert T. Lincoln is the most available Republican candidate for the Presidency, and that he has a good chance of being nominated when in 1888 the party begins to search for a candidate "who can relieve it from the necessity of taking either Blaine or Sherman." Such a result would be a fortunate thing for the party, and would attract back all those who were unable to vote for Mr. Blaine. Mr. Lincoln has never sought the office, no charge of wire-pulling or scandal of any kind could be raised against him, and the nomination would be greeted with enthusiasm among all the younger voters. With such a leader the party would be sure to succeed, while with any of the men who have been so urgently striving for the nomination for so many years, the result would be more uncertain. Old issues have been fought over long enough, the old candidates have many bitter antagonists, and the wisest thing to do would be to clear the field and bring on a new set of men. The prospects are now that President Cleveland will be renominated, and it is useless to deny the fact that he is much stronger with the people than when he first assumed the office. To defeat him will require the strongest candidate that can be found, and Lincoln would be such a candidate. Ex-Governor Robinson would be an admirable selection for the second place. With such a ticket there would be no Mugwumps.

## HOMES FOR WORKING GIRLS.

On another page Miss Beecher presents the claims of the New England Helping Hand Society, of which she is vice president. The society enters a new and unencared field, and it should have the encouragement and assistance of all who believe in helping to make the world better. The object of the society is to provide homes for working girls, where they will be looked after and cared for, both physically and morally, and have the comforts and advantages of a home. The society is conducted by women, and although but recently organized, has a very large membership, and the founders are widely known for their good works. As Miss Beecher says, why should so much be done for young men, by the Young Men's Christian Associations and in other ways, and so little for young women? The society proposes to hold a fair in October to provide funds for the establishment of a home in Boston, and makes an appeal to the charitable for any ornamental or useful articles, where there are more convenient than money. The appeal should meet with a generous response from the people of Newton. This is a branch of woman's work which all can endorse. It aims at something practical and urgently needed. All may not sympathize with the efforts to obtain a suffrage for women, but no one can fail to see the necessity of doing something to better the condition of the thirty thousand working women of Boston.

## HARDLY HONORABLE.

The man who signed himself "Observer" in last week's Journal, and who is thought to be a member of the school board, should have had the courage to sign his name to his vague insinuations or else he should have kept still. The practice of hiding behind a fictitious signature and saving things in a newspaper which one would not dare say over his own name is akin to that of sending anonymous letters through the mail. A man who comes out boldly and states his opinions over his own signature will have the respect of a community, even if he is regarded as mistaken in his views. Newton people especially like a man to have the courage of his convictions. We commend to the timid soul of "Observer" the example of the young lady who has answered his letter, and who evidently does not believe in writing anything which she is afraid to sign.

As for the contents of his letter, they are hardly worthy of comment. The opposition in the school board at first made definite charges, which were found upon investigation to be baseless. That did not change their policy, but since they have succeeded in their effort, they should content themselves with their victory, and not attack by vague insinuations and anonymous letters a gentleman who is now a private citizen. That there is nothing that has not already been revealed is amply shown by the fact that Mayor Kimball, Mr. Ames, Mr. Converse and Rev. Dr. Shinn, the four members of the High School committee who were the most frequent visitors to the school, and who were best acquainted with the facts in the case, knew of no reason for a change, and they are men whose character and standing is equal, to say the least, to that of any other members of the board.

It is only reasonable to infer that if

there had been any charges to bring forward that would stand investigation, they would have long ago been made public. As this was not done, it is neither honorable nor manly now to indulge in vague insinuations and anonymous letters to the newspapers. The record has been made up and the books have been closed, and it is useless to attempt now to make a change in public sentiment.

THE indorsement of the Blair Bill by the assembled teachers at Chicago shows how thoughtlessly even teachers may look at public questions. The education of the citizen is one of those duties reserved to the several states, and the Blair Bill would be as pernicious in practice as it is in theory. It is to be feared that the educators at Chicago are not as familiar with the constitution as they should be.

THE BOSTON ADVERTISER very sensibly says that the Republican party in this state must nominate "men of undoubted character and capacity" if they hope to win. Whether this means more than appears upon the surface is uncertain, but there is no question as to the wisdom of such a course.

LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR BRACKETT is talked of for the next congressman from the 5th district, and such a nomination would be an excellent one.

## NOTES ABOUT TOWN.

## A FRIENDLY HINT.

Real estate brokers should not, as a general thing, "talk too much with their mouths."

(No special reference in mind, just now.) They are supposed to represent owners, or rather, in a broader sense, ownership, and it is in bad taste for them to disparage any locality in town as "too bleak," "too high," "too low," "too damp," or "out of the world," or "too near the railroad-track," or "too far from the depot," or too anything else. People mostly know what they want and generally do as they please.

What our good friends, the brokers, have to sell, they will dispose of just as easily and with more credit to themselves by refraining from injurious and often unjust comparisons. "Live and let live," and then we shall all have a living.

## PROFESSIONAL SECRETS.

The same remarks will apply with equal force to dentists, surgeons, physicians, and other professional gentlemen, who are confidential advisers and practitioners.

A family physician, as he passes from one sick chamber to another, should shut a tight door behind him, lock it, and take the key.

The secrets of his profession should repose in his own manly breast, not to be disturbed even by his wife.

Patients may publish their maladies, but for him to do it is a breach of confidence.

## WHEN A SECRET IS SAFE.

Any secret, generally speaking, is safe only in the original package. The nature of a secret is to ooze out, burrow, and get out, somehow, sooner or later.

Very few (besides ourselves and one or two others) can be trusted with the sole custody of an interesting secret. The perverse outing is too much for most mental natures to withstand.

The husband turns a secret over to the wife of his bosom, and finds ready and cordial relief—more, in fact, than he anticipated.

The wife, on the other hand, gets far less from her "dull husband," but her secret is safer than it was before, for are not two better than one? Of course they are.

Besides, the two are one, and have an awful double grip on other people's secrets. We have read somewhere of a man (of course) "whose secret died with him." Autopsy disclosed the sad but scientific fact, that the secret that he had promised "never to tell to a living soul" was the procuring cause of his death.

The chamber of reticence, where he had kept it locked in so many years, fussing and festering to get out, finally burst open. Even then he would not tell, and so he had to die of some kind of plexia, the doctors called it. It was fearful. No female martyrs of that kind yet on record.

## ALL OUT-OF-DOORS.

A few places, here and there, look better for removal of enclosures, but they are very few, and must be in high keeping.

This anti-fence craze is something to be held in with bit and bridle.

Just to follow a fashion, because it is in vogue, and the latest thing out, is derogatory to good sense, at least.

Intelligent people should not be turned about by every wind of doctrine.

Decide new questions as they come up, on their intrinsic merits.

There must be some good points about fences and walls.

Our fathers were not wholly idiotic. Fancy Longfellow's place in Cambridge, with all the fences removed, and laid out dude fashion.

It is really saddening to stroll through one of these "Queen Anne" settlements of the cheaper sort, and note the caricatural gentility, the strain and effort to be tony or something.

The houses seem with their environments as though they were dropped down for a summer encampment, not as though they had come to stay.

Why, in the name of all past usage and tradition, is there any thing genteel in thus opening your front door-step to the street?

It is demoralizing in its tendency.

What is the motive underlying this landscape derangement?

The lines should be well defined where the public ends and the private begins.

Says the Song of Solomon, after exhausting every species of oriental imagery, "a garden enclosed is my spouse."

GREYSTONE.

A Bar Harbor man, unacquainted with the modern system of piping houses, went into a shop—using the recent hot wave, and turned the faucet to get a drink of water.

He got the water, but he did not discover his mistake until he had taken a good swallow of the water. Dropping his glass in a hurry, he exclaimed: "Gracious heavens, I knew it was a mistake, but I didn't think it would heat that water like that!"

## THE NEWTON SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

## A REPLY TO THE INSINUATIONS OF OBSERVER.

Editor of the GRAPHIC:

Will you allow me through your columns to throw a little more light upon this interesting question, and attempt to aid, by a view from another standpoint, the "disinterested observer," whose communication in last week's Journal some of the GRAPHIC's readers may have seen, that he may understand more clearly the position of the School Committee?

We have a common wish that our High School shall do such excellent work that it shall deserve the position at the very head of High Schools.

If there is any other reason needed to show the committee's lack of knowledge of the condition of the school—lack of "a careful and prolonged study of the school, and comparison of it with other High Schools in this state and in other states"—the reason is supplied when the committee's disinterested observer suggests that it "may be for the best good of the late head-master that the reasons for the change be not given to the public."

From a position of definite knowledge, general and particular, of all that has happened in or out of the school for the last few years, we can say that neither master nor pupils would have reason to regret—considering the height to which this matter has been carried—should all their actions be submitted to the public and discussed. That, however, indiscreet the pupils may have been, it is preferable that their mistakes be made public than that the educators and scholars of the surrounding towns and colleges should be allowed to believe for a moment the absurd, untrue tales which have been circulated among them, and which the superintendent's and the committee's policy have so far encouraged them to believe.

The harm that has been done to the good reputation of the school by a policy of silence and insinuations on the part of its committee is incalculable. That we who have heard these stories should feel most keenly the disgrace is but natural.

If it is necessary to discuss the method of the elections of school committeemen in Newton up to this time, there is much that can be said on both sides. Whether or not Newton has elected men to this position who have "discharged their duties faithfully" was not the subject of last week's inquiry.

If the committee will kindly state publicly that they do not give their reasons for their recent decision because they are afraid of hurting the reputation of the late head-master or of the sons and daughters of some of the best families in Newton, they will prove conclusively to the intimate friends of the school that either the information supplied to the committee was false or that they reached their decision carelessly.

And in closing, may we suggest to the citizens that the strength of such a communication as "Observer's" lies in a known signature.

For the Alumni,

CORA L. STEWART.

Auburndale, July 19, 1887.

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## IN INSOLVENCY.

## MESSENGER'S NOTICE.

MIDDLESEX, ss. WALTHAM, July 14, 1887.

Notice is hereby given that a Warrant in Insolvency, has this day issued from the Court of Insolvency, for said County of Middlesex, against the estate of John H. Whitney of Newton, in said County of Middlesex, insolvent debtor. That the payment of any debts, and the delivery of any property belonging to said Insolvent Debtor to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law. That a meeting of the creditors of said Insolvent Debtor to prove their debts, and choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at the Court of Insolvency, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the eighteenth day of August A. D. 1887, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

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J. H. TYLER, Register.

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—Mr. F. D. Hall is at Cross Hill, Maine.  
 —Mr. Walter C. Grant is at Hyannis, Mass.  
 —Mr. Charles Eaton is at Wolf's Bay, Maine.  
 —Miss H. A. Millard is at Lincolnville, Maine.  
 —Mr. H. H. Sacker and family are in Princeton.  
 —The City Band played at Chataqua this week.  
 —Dr. O. E. Hunt and wife are at Framingham, Mass.  
 —Mr. J. H. Willey has gone to Weston for his vacation.  
 —Mrs. H. M. Sussmann and family are at Nantucket, Mass.  
 —Mr. J. C. Fenno and family are at Framingham, Mass.  
 —Mr. W. H. Powers and two children are at London, N. H.  
 —Mr. A. A. Glines' family are at Crescent Beach for a few weeks.  
 —Mr. H. H. Carter, of Carter & Karrick, has gone to Bangor, Maine.  
 —Miss Maria Welch is with Mrs. E. T. Eldridge at Little Boar's Head.  
 —Miss Mary Byers will sail very soon for Europe, to be gone nine months or more.  
 —Mrs. Valentine, the Misses Valentine and Miss Danforth have gone to Egongiet, Maine.  
 —Mr. F. W. Gaffield is spending the summer months at the Park House, North Cohasset.  
 —Mr. F. S. Amidon is home again for a few days, but will return to Cottage City in August.  
 —The Misses Wilson of Central avenue are spending two weeks in the White Mountains.  
 —Mr. J. C. Goodwin, the newly elected headmaster of the High School, was in town this week.  
 —Mr. Charles Kellogg has taken up his abode at Mrs. Davidson's boarding house on Prescott street.  
 —Miss Kittie Thompson is spending a couple of weeks at Holliston, where she will visit Mrs. Valentine's camp.  
 —Ex-Gov. and Mrs. Claflin gave an informal reception to the C. L. S. C. class of '87 at their cottage, Lake View, Framingham, on Wednesday of this week.  
 —Mr. A. D. Claflin has returned from a month's tour in the mountains, during which he took some 75 fine views.  
 —Mrs. S. A. Ranlett and Miss Katharine, go to-morrow (Saturday) to the Artists' Fall House, North Conway, for a couple of weeks.  
 —Councilman Chadwick's new house on Walnut street will be a worthy addition for Newtonville. It is nearing completion, and the plasterers are at work now.  
 —Mr. Edward Page and family escaped without harm at the burning of the Cotcheset Hotel at Osterville, Sunday morning, and have removed to the Humarock, Sea View, Mass.  
 —The Newtonville friends of Prof. C. H. Leonard will grieve with him in the affliction that has lately come to him. His son Charles, a promising young man of 20 years, died last week at his home in College Hill.  
 —Mrs. C. E. Nash and children have come East, and are visiting her brother in Milton, Mass. Mr. Nash will join them about August 1st, when their Newtonville friends will be glad to greet them once again.  
 —Mr. W. F. Kiernan of Allston has begun the cellar of a new house in the rear of Barlow's blacksmith shop on Washington street. The city is going to open a street between the shops and the new block, and also will extend the water main to Mr. Kiernan's house.  
 —The block of six houses which Ex-Gov. Claflin is building in the rear of the post office building will be a worthy addition to this village. The block is Queen Anne in style, and will offer pleasant and convenient homes to many who do not wish the care and expense of a separate house.  
 —The Educational Committee of the Newtonville Woman's Guild met at the house of Miss A. M. Beecher on Thursday, July 14th, to talk over the plans for the coming year. If the committee succeed in doing all they want and propose to do, the winter's work will be one of unusual interest, and much good will be accomplished.

## NONANTUM.

—Mr. Wm. Hill of Manchester, N. H., is visiting here.  
 —Miss Nettie Peoler is away on her vacation.  
 —Mr. Wm. Farley has gone to Canada on a vacation.  
 —Thomas Jeffs had a sister arrive here from England Monday.  
 —A young man who has just returned from his vacation, says he has been to see the "Rising Sun."  
 —Mr. Coffey moved his house from Crafts street to Clinton street during the past week.  
 —Thomas Weldon and John Cairns have rented the store formerly occupied by P. Flood as a bakery, on Watertown street, and will open an ice cream and oyster saloon.  
 —A. W. Bigelow will sell out all his household effects at auction Saturday afternoon, his wife having taken her trunks and left while he was at work at the Newton Machine shop. Her actions surprised everybody, as there is no perceptible reason for it. Mr. Bigelow has the sympathy of a large circle of acquaintances.  
 —A sociable was held at the vestry of the North Church Tuesday, in order that the people might get more intimately acquainted with Rev. Mr. Evans and wife, who is engaged to supply the pulpit for a year. A very pleasant evening was spent, and many words of greeting spoken. Several selections of music were rendered and a very enjoyable evening was spent.  
 —A man named William Connors was found in a dying condition on the Fitchburg railroad Tuesday morning, near the Hall Rubber Mills. He had a pint bottle of whiskey, \$1.50 in money and a small bundle of clothing. He had probably been struck by the midnight train and lain till morning, although no noise had been heard by the watchman at the Rubber Mills. He was taken to the Massachusetts General Hospital, where he died at five o'clock Tuesday evening.

## WEST NEWTON.

—Mr. L. B. Belknap is at the Isle of Shoals.  
 —Mr. G. L. Fitch is spending his vacation on the Cape.  
 —Miss Fanny Allen has returned from a visit to Medfield.  
 —Mr. and Mrs. I. I. Doane are at Laurencetown, Nova Scotia.  
 —Mrs. Clara Erskine Clement Waters is at Calais, Vt., for the summer.  
 —Mrs. J. J. Eddy has returned from a three week's visit to Cleveland.  
 —Mr. C. M. Bucknam and family have gone to Squantum for five weeks.  
 —Miss Sarah Allen has gone to Sconset, Nantucket, for a week's visit.  
 —Mr. Charles Burrill and family are at Shrewsbury for a short time.  
 —Miss Emma Nickerson has returned home from a visit to Amherst and Burlington.  
 —Miss Campbell, Mr. S. F. Cate's sister, is at Manchester, N. H., for a six week's visit.  
 —Seventy-five people avail themselves of Mr. J. T. Allen's swimming pond every day.  
 —Captain S. E. Howard has gone to Texas to make some purchases in livestock.  
 —Frank and Joseph Newhall started today (Friday) for a two week's trip to Squirrel Island.  
 —Prof. and Mrs. Elwell of Amherst College are the guests of her father, Mr. J. H. Nickerson.  
 —Mrs. Herbert E. Burrage, with a part of her family, are at Rindge, N. H., for two weeks.  
 —Last Saturday Severance Burrage again received a gratuity for his display of native plants.  
 —The workmen have commenced to dig the cellar for the enlargement of the Unitarian church.  
 —Mr. A. F. Luke expects to move into his new house on Prince street about the first of August.  
 —Dr. Thayer is having a cellar dug for a new house on Waltham street, near his present residence.  
 —Dr. and Mrs. Thayer spent last Sunday at the summer cottage of Mr. George Phelps, Osterville.  
 —Mrs. and Miss Purdie sail for England on Thursday, July 28th, where they expect to remain over a year.  
 —Mr. and Mr. Henry Lambert are spending a few weeks at the cottage of their son, Mr. Wm. B. Lambert, at Hull.  
 —Summer Robinson has gone to visit some friends at Boothbay for three weeks, after which he goes to Belfast.  
 —Mr. John S. Leonard and family of Putnam street are at the Herperus, Magnolia.  
 —Mrs. Crockett, the mother of Dr. Crockett, has gone to New York to visit her mother, who is 90 years of age.  
 —Major Crockett's trip to Provincetown has been unavoidably postponed, on account of severe dog-wood poisoning.  
 —Mr. Charles Davis and wife have gone to their annual camping ground at Camp Putnam, East Boothbay.  
 —Mr. Clarence H. Hayes is moving into Mr. Stewart's new house on Highland street which he has recently purchased.  
 —Mr. John Bliss and family started for Onset Bay Thursday morning, where they will spend the remainder of the summer.  
 —Mr. E. F. Kimball started Tuesday morning for Saratoga, where he will deliver a course of lectures. He will not return for three weeks.  
 —Mrs. A. Stuart Pratt arrived Wednesday from the west, and will spend several months with her relatives in West Newton.  
 —Mr. Josiah E. Bacon returned from his fishing trip on the St. John's river, July 12. He had remarkably fine luck, catching 20 good-sized salmon.  
 —The burning of the Cotcheset House, Osterville, has disappointed several West Newton people who had rooms engaged, and were intending to spend part of the summer there.  
 —The camping party from '88, N. H. S., which was delayed a week on account of the illness of two of its number, started Wednesday morning for Lake Winnepesaukee, where they will enjoy themselves for several weeks.  
 —D. P. C., J. H. L., Coon, D. G. W. H., A. J. Coolidge, and D. G. C., Wm. H. Peavey of Watertown, installed the officers of Crescent Commandery, No. 86, N. O. G. C., Monday evening.  
 —A pleasant surprise party was tendered Mr. John W. Ghan by his friends Friday evening, a social time being spent, a bountiful collation partaken of, and many gifts left behind as reminders of their good will.  
 —The Chataqua Assembly Chorus will give Mr. Trowbridge's Oratorio at Lake View on Saturday afternoon at two o'clock, under the direction of Prof. Sherwin of the New England Conservatory of Music. Many who took part in it here will go to Lake View to help the chorus.  
 —The Newell Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor met Tuesday evening, at 7:45 p. m. Reports were given of the Saratoga convention by the delegates, Mr. Coe of West Newton, Mr. Partridge of Newton, and several others. A quartet furnished music during the evening, giving the same selections that were sung at the convention. There was a full attendance and the meeting was very interesting.  
 —City Engineer Noyes and City Messenger Wellington were in Chicago on Monday, one of the hottest days of the season there. Mr. Noyes has studied the sewerage system of Pullman, and from Chicago he will visit Philadelphia, Atlantic City, Seabright and Long Branch, to look up their sewerage systems. It is expected that he will be a walking encyclopedia upon this subject when he returns home next Monday.  
 —The regular quarterly meeting of the Board of Directors of the West Newton Atheneum was held Wednesday evening in the Reading Room. There were seven members present, President J. J. Eddy in the chair. In the absence of Mr. E. P. Bond, the regular secretary, Mr. F. B. Tiffany was elected secretary pro tem. After the regular routine business was accomplished, Pres. Eddy made some very appropriate remarks on the death of Mr. Henry Howland, who, until his death, was one of their number. Mr. Eddy referred to the interest that Mr. Howland had taken in the library, and the conscientious way in which he had always done his work for it. He also referred to the difficulty of getting a director who had the time, talent, and especially the inclination to attend to his duties, and in this respect Mr. Howland made one of the most valuable directors that the Atheneum ever had. The meeting was in session about twenty minutes.

## AUBURNDALE.

—Mrs. Thomas Hull has gone to Rutland, Vt.  
 —Mrs. Linnel has gone to visit her father in New Brunswick.  
 —Mr. F. W. Holt is spending his vacation at Fisherville, N. H.  
 —Mr. R. E. Ashenden and family are at Harpswell, Maine.  
 —Mrs. Charles H. Johnson and daughter are at Warren, R. I.  
 —Mr. C. C. Burr and Miss Lucy Burr are at Kennebunk, Maine.  
 —Mrs. M. E. Kimball is spending her vacation at Turner, Maine.  
 —Mrs. A. F. Bellows and maid are at the Massapoag House, Sharon.  
 —Mrs. C. W. Cole and Miss Julia Cole are at South West Harbor, Maine.  
 —Mr. C. G. Fletcher and family are summering on the shores of Lake Winnepesaukee.  
 —The Boston & Albany Railroad have built a fence after the usual style, from Riverside to the Woodland avenue bridge.  
 —J. R. Robertson, the popular boat maker at Riverside, is building a dwelling house on Charles street.  
 —Rev. Calvin Cutler and wife visited the Chataqua meeting at Lake View on Tuesday.  
 —Mr. Charles Waite and family are in Rutland, Vermont, attending a large family reunion.  
 —Mr. G. F. Webster and family have taken Miss Delia T. Smith's house at Riverside for the season.  
 —Miss Emily Hazen, Miss Mariana Blood and the Misses Jordan are to spend two weeks at Cushing, Maine.  
 —Mrs. G. H. Harpin and Miss C. L. Bourne have gone to North Conway, N. H., for the summer.  
 —Miss Batchelder, the popular grammar school teacher, is taking one of the Chataqua courses of study at Lake View, Mass.  
 —J. P. B. Fiske, E. O. Jordan, A. M. Blood and Arthur Hill returned this week from a two weeks' camping trip on an island in Penobscot Bay.  
 —Mrs. George Hutchinson and family were at the Seater House, Center Harbor, at the time of the fire last Saturday morning.  
 —A very neat circular has been issued headed "Art at Lassell," and containing among other articles the description of the new pictures, which appeared in the GRAPHIC of July 9.  
 —Mr. J. Walter Davis has nearly completed a very pleasant house on Fern street. Mr. Davis is now with his family in Rutland, Mass., the former home of his father, Mr. J. W. Davis.  
 —Rev. Arthur Kelley is spending the summer at his home in Auburn, Mass. Edward P. Kelley, Amherst '90, is also at home, preparing to enter the class of '90 in Harvard College next September.  
 —It is reported that the unused buildings on Auburn street on the east side of the bridge, which are a blot on the landscape, are to be removed. Such a removal will be a great improvement to the street.  
 —Officer Ryan attended the reunion of the 61st regiment, which was held at the Crawford House, Boston, last Saturday, and was chosen one of the directors of the permanent organization.  
 —Wednesday afternoon about twenty-five ladies and gentlemen of Lower Falls and Riverside enjoyed a picnic on the banks of the Charles. Among the party were Mr. and Mrs. Thayer, Mr. Davenport and family, and Mr. Charles Hall and family, all of this village.  
 —Miss Mary Mosman and Miss Goddard of Worcester are visiting at the summer home of Prof. Horsford on Shelter Island, Gardiner Bay, off the east coast of Long Island. Prof. Horsford is the honorary member of the class of '80 of Wellesley College, of which Miss Mosman is also a member.

## NEWTON LOWER FALLS.

—The annual picnic of the M. E. society was held at Cloverbrook Grove on Tuesday last.  
 —John Flynn, having been pronounced incurable at the Cottage Hospital, has been removed to his home on Beacon street.  
 —Adam Leck of the machine shop, and Daniel Warren, coal dealer, are among the losers by the failure of the Waxed Paper Co. at Newton Upper Falls.  
 —Extensive repairs are about to be made at the Wixwell Paper Mills. George Spring has the contract for doing the wood work of the new machine room, and John Dolan that for the stone work.  
 —The carpenter's shop, which was lately moved to Concord street, has been purchased by John Porter to be removed to the vicinity of the depot, where he will fit it up as a shop for making and repairing boots and shoes.  
 —ST. MARY'S.  
 Evening prayer with a brief address is said at 4:30 p. m. on Sundays through July and August.  
 Mrs. Chas. E. Parker of Auburndale is organist during Miss Baker's absence.  
 Service on St. James' Day, (July 25th) at 9 a. m., in the chapel.  
 The Feast of the Transfiguration was added to the calendar of Holy Days at the last general convention of the Episcopal church. As it brings out one of the great events in our Lord's life, it will no doubt receive special attention on its first observance, which occurs on Saturday, August 6.  
 For the convenience of strangers sojourning in the vicinity, we give the order of service at St. Mary's: 9 a. m., Holy communion in the chapel, except the first Sunday in the month; 9:45, Sunday school; 10:45 a. m., morning service and sermon; 4:30 p. m., evening prayer with brief address.

## TO THE GIRLS.

## HOW TO BE WELL, HAPPY AND BEAUTIFUL.

My dear Girls:—This time I believe we were to come to, or approximate the point of how to be well, and consequently happy and beautiful. A desideratum surely. If you were where you could ask questions, make suggestions, and discuss the matter, we should get on much better, and conclusions would be greatly facilitated.  
 As we learned in '86 at the High School, a necessary precedent to a discussion is such a definition of terms as will bring us all to a common understanding. Especially is this necessary when in the loose use of language, a great variety of interpretations have been given to the terms used. Perhaps no larger scope is given to any common words, than to those which appear as the prominent ones in our topic, health, happiness and beauty. So large is the latitude given to these terms, that scarcely two persons are found who have of them the same idea, or for which they have the same standard.  
 Let us see then how they may be defined so as to commend the definition to reason and good sense. We will call health the state or condition, physical, mental and moral, or spiritual, in which all the functions of this trinity work harmoniously together, without jar or friction. Pretty broad, isn't it? But what can you have less, since the interblendings and reactions are such, that it is impossible, under the immutable law that inheres in everything, and controls everything, to permit a divergence from the normal standard, in either realm, without affecting the others. Every day we have illustrations of the action of the mind upon the body, and the almost absolute control of the mental and moral, by the animal or physical is, alas! too common to need special comment.  
 In short, neither the physical, mental or spiritual part of us can be "out of gear" without affecting the working of the whole machinery.  
 You readily understand that there must be in the engine, not only a perfect adaptation of parts, but a well regulated quantity of the propelling force, and that for the production of this force there must be the nicest adjustment of water and heat. No man would attempt to subtract either of these factors, and expect a practical working machine.  
 In other words, to accomplish the ends for which an engine is made, we must have it complete in all its parts,—it must be a whole or healthy machine, including the propelling force.  
 If then to be in health we must recognize all the factors which go to form this complex being, man or girl, then it is a foregone conclusion that none can be neglected or left in disuse; nor can any be required to perform the functions of the others. Each in its place, each doing its own work, each in harmonious action with all.  
 Abnormal development at one point is detriment to all others. Hence, for physical health there must be due observance of the law of growth, so that the mental and moral shall not be dwarfed. The head may not grow at the expense of the heart; the body may not be fed at the expense of the head, or otherwise you subvert beauty and produce a monstrosity.  
 The physical is but the expression of the mental and moral, or in other terms, of the intelligence and the disposition. Leave out these forces and you have a putty face, and a being devoid of character, drifting with every current, incapable and of necessity devoid of the first idea of real happiness. But what is happiness? We must not forget to define our terms. Let us then consider happiness to be something like that which Herbert Spencer defines it to be. "Happiness," he says, "consists in the due satisfaction of all the normal desires, that is, happiness is the due exercise of all the faculties."  
 Assuming that happiness is the end of our creation, and that to this end the laws of life conspire, obedience to these laws are but the means to that end. All consciousness, all sensation, all impression, all volition, all feelings, ideas, affections, come through the faculties, which in harmonious action produce that compound, complex state we call happiness. So that after all this comes in as part of real health, or wholeness. But how about the beauty? What is beauty? Aye! there's the conflict. I can tell you in what it does not consist, and cannot. Not in anything in the production of which any natural law is violated. Why? Because nature, pure and unadorned, is the expression of the wisdom, love, and power of the creative hand which never moulds without design, and never makes mistakes. Abominations and Monstrosities come from the attempt somewhere to thwart the harmonious symmetry of nature. Beauty then must follow nature and obey law. Later we will imitate the methods of the ancient clergy, and having gone through our points, will make the application. Meantime consider the points already made, and if any disagree, say so. The GRAPHIC will give you room if we do not take too much space. To the end that there shall be room for all, I will make my adieu for the nonce, remaining always your friend,  
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Because my life has lain so close to thine,  
Because our hearts have kept a common beat,  
Because thine eyes, turned towards me frank and sweet,  
Reveal sometimes thine unthought thoughts to mine,  
Think not that I, by curious design,  
Or over-step of too impetuous feet,  
Could desecrate thy soul's supreme retreat,  
Could disregard its quivering barrier-line.  
Only a simple Levite, I, who stand  
On the world's side of the most holy place,  
Till, as the new day glories the east,  
One come to lift the veil with reverent hand,  
And enter with thy soul's soul face to face,  
He whom thy God shall call to be high priest.  
—(Ellen Burroughs in July Overland.)

## PYGMALION AND I.

Happy Pygmalion gained of old a wife,  
Warmed by his love from marble into life.  
But I a sadder miracle have known—  
My love has changed a living maid to stone.  
—(Overland Monthly for July.)

## MINIONS OF THE MOON.

BY F. W. ROBINSON.

Our story is of the time when George the Third was king; and our scene of action lies only at an old farm-house six miles or so from Finchly—a quaint, ramshackle, commodious, old-fashioned thatched farm-house that we see only in pictures now, and which has long since been improved off the face of the earth.

It was a farm estate that was flourishing bravely in those dear, disreputable days when the people paid fivepence a pound for bread and only dared curse Protection in their hearts; when few throve, and many starved, and younger sons of gentry, without interest at court or parliament, either cut the country, which served them so badly, or took to business on the king's highway, and served the country badly in return.

The Maythorpe farm belonged to the Pemberthys, and had descended from father to son from days lying too far back to reckon up just now; and a rare, exclusive, conservative, bad-tempered, long-headed race the Pemberthys had always borne the reputation of being, feathering their nests well, and dying in them fat and prosperous. There was something of their Puritan forefathers who fought on Cromwell's side in the Pemberthys of the days when George the Third ruled over Merrie England; they were staid, respectable, well-to-do, and excellent farmers with excellent wives, or looking out for excellent wives. Failing to find any in the country, they were prepared to die bachelors without a murmur.

There were a good many Pemberthys scattered about the home and midland counties, but it was generally understood in the family that the head of the clan, as it were, lived at the Maythorpe Farm, near Finchly, and here the Pemberthys would fore-gather on any great occasion, such as a marriage, a funeral, or a christening—the funeral taking precedence for numbers. There had been a grand funeral at Maythorpe Farm only a few days before our story opens, for Reuben Pemberthy had been consigned to his fathers at the early age of forty-nine. Reuben Pemberthy had left one son behind him, also named Reuben, a stalwart, heavy-browed, good-looking young fellow, who, at two-and-twenty was quite as well able to manage the farm, and everybody in it, as his father had done before him. He had got rid of all his relatives, save two, six days after his father's funeral, and those two were stopping by general consent, because it was signed, sealed and delivered by those whom it most concerned, that the younger woman, his cousin, pretty Sophie Tarne, was to be married before the year was out to the present Reuben Pemberthy, who had wooed her, and won her consent when he went down to her mother's house at King's Norton for a few days' trip last summer. Being a steady, handsome fellow, who made love in downright earnest, he impressed Sophie's eighteen years and was somewhat timidly but graciously accepted as an affianced suitor; and it was thought at King's Norton that Mrs. Tarne had done a better stroke of business in the first year of her widowhood than her late husband had done—always an unlucky wretch, Timothy—in the whole course of his life. And now Sophie Tarne and her mother were staying for a few days longer at Maythorpe Farm after the funeral.

Mrs. Tarne having been a real Pemberthy before her unfortunate marriage with the improvident draper of King's Norton, was quite one of the family, and seemed more at home at Finchly than was the new widow Mrs. Pemberthy—a poor, shabby lady, a victim to a chronic state of twitting and jingling and twitching, but one who, despite her shivers, had made the late Reuben a good wife, and was a fair house-keeper even now, although superintending housekeeping in jumps like a palsy-stricken kangaroo.

So Sophie and her bustling mother were of material assistance to Mrs. Pemberthy, and the presence of Sophie in that house of mourning—where the mourning had been speedily got over, and business had begun again with commendable celerity—was a considerable source of comfort to young Reuben, when he had leisure after business hours—which was not always the case—to resume those tender relations which had borne to him last autumn such happy fruit of promise.

Though there was not so much work to do at the farm in the winter time, when the nights were long and the days short, yet Reuben Pemberthy was generally busy in one way or another, and on the particular day on which our story opens, Reuben was away at High Barnet.

It had been a dull, dark day, followed by a dull, dark night. The farm servants had gone to their homes, save the few that were attached to the premises, such as scullery-maids and dairy-maids—and Mrs. Pemberthy, Mrs. Tarne and her daughter Sophie were waiting early supper for Reuben, and wondering what kept him so long from his home and his sweetheart.

Mrs. Tarne, accustomed, mayhap, to the roar and bustle of King's Norton, found the farm at Finchly a trifle dull and lonely—not that in a few days after a funeral she could expect any excessive display of life or frivolity—and, oppressed a bit that evening, was a trifle nervous as to the whereabouts of her future son-in-law, who had faithfully promised to be home a clear hour and a half before the present time, and whose word might be always taken to be as good as his bond. Mrs. Tarne was the most restless of the three women; good

Mrs. Pemberthy, though physically shaken, was not likely to be nervous concerning her son, and indeed was at any time only fidgety over her own special complaints—a remarkable trait of character deserving of passing comment here.

Sophie was not of a nervous temperament; indeed, for her eighteen years, was apparently a little too cool and methodical. And she was not flurried that evening over the delay in the arrival home of Reuben Pemberthy; she was not imaginative like her mother, and did not associate delay with the dangers of a dark night, though the nights were full of danger in the good old times of the third George. She went to the door to look out, after her mother had tripped there for the seventh or eighth time, not for appearances' sake, for she was above that, but to keep her mother company and to suggest that these frequent excursions to the front door would end in a cold.

"I can't help fearing that something has happened to Reu," said the mother; "he is always so true to time."

"There are so many things to keep a man late, mother."

"Not to keep Reuben. If he said what hour he'd be back—he's like his father, my poor brother—he'd do it to the minute, even if there weren't any reason for his hurry."

"Which there is," said Sophie, archly.

"Which there is, Sophie. And why you are so quiet over this, I don't know. I am sure when poor Mr. Tarne was out late—and he was often very, very late, and the Lord knows where he'd been either—I couldn't keep a limb of me still till he came home again. I was as bad as your aunt in-doors there, till I was sure he was safe and sound."

"But he always came home safe and sound, mother."

"Nearly always. I mind the time once though—bless us and save us, what a gust! she cried, as the wind came swooping down the hill at them, swinging past them into the dark passage and puffing the lights out in the big pantry beyond, when the maids began to scream. 'I hope he hasn't been blown off his horse.'"

"Not very likely that," said Sophie, "and Reuben the best horseman in the county. But come in out of the gale, mother. The sleet cuts like a knife, too, and he will not come home any sooner for your letting the wind into the house. And—why here he comes, after all. Hark!"

There was the rattling of horses' hoofs on the frost-bound road; it was a long way in the distance, but it was the unmistakable signal of a well-mounted traveler approaching. Of more than one well-mounted traveler it became quickly apparent, the clattering was so loud and incessant and manifold.

"Soldiers!" said Sophie, "what can bring them this way?"

"It's the farmers coming the same way as Reuben, for protection's sake these winter nights, child."

"Protection?"

"Haven't you heard of the highwaymen about, and how a single traveler is never safe in these parts. Or a double one either—or—"

"Perhaps these are highwaymen."

"Oh, good gracious! Let us get in-doors and bar up," cried Mrs. Tarne, wholly forgetful of Reuben Pemberthy's safety after this suggestion. "Yes, it's as likely to be highwaymen as soldiers."

It was more likely. It was pretty conclusive that the odds were in favor of highwaymen, when, five minutes afterward, eight mounted horsemen rode up to the Maythorpe farm-house, dismounted with considerable noise and bustle, and commenced hammering at the stout oaken door with the butt-ends of their riding-whips, hammering away incessantly, and shouting out much strong language in the reverence, and which being fortunately bawled forth at once was incomprehensible to the dwellers within-doors, now all scared together and no longer cool and self-possessed.

"Robbers!" said Mrs. Tarne. "We've never been molested before—at least not for twenty years or more," said Mrs. Pemberthy, "and then I mind!"

"Is it likely to be any of Reuben's friends?" asked Sophie, timidly.

"Oh no! Reuben has no believing crew like that for friends. Ask who is there—somebody."

But nobody would go to the door save Sophie Tarne herself; the maids were huddled in a heap together in a corner of the dairy, and refused to budge an inch; and Mrs. Tarne was shaking more than Mrs. Pemberthy; indeed, it looked like a match between them who could shiver herself the more quickly to pieces.

Sophie, with the color gone from her face, went boldly back to the door, where the hammering on the panels continued, and would have split anything of a less tough fiber than the English oak of which they were constructed.

"Who is there? What do you want?" she gave out in a shrill falsetto; but no one heard her till the questions were repeated about an octave and a half higher.

"Hold hard, Stango, there's a woman calling to us. Stop your row, will you?"

A sudden cessation of the battering ensued, and some one was heard going rapidly backward over the cobbles-stones amidst the laughter of the rest, who had dismounted and were standing outside in the cold, with their hands upon their horses' bridles.

"Who is there?" asked Sophie Tarne again.

"Travelers in need of assistance, and who"—began a polite and even musical voice, which was interrupted by a hoarse voice.

"Open in the King's name, will you?"

"Open in the fiend's name, won't you?" called out a third and hoarser voice, "or we'll fire through the windows, and burn the place down."

"What do you want?"

"Silence," shouted the first one again; let me explain, you dogs, before you bark again."

There was a pause, and the polite gentleman began again in his mellifluous voice:

"We are travelers belated. We require corn for our horses, food for ourselves. There is no occasion for alarm; my friends are noisy but harmless, I assure you, and the favor of admittance and entertainment here will be duly appreciated. To refuse you hospitality—the hospitality of a Pemberthy—is only to expose yourselves to considerable inconvenience, I fear."

"And as we intend to come in at all risks," added a deeper voice, "it will be better for you not to try and keep us out, d'ye hear? D'ye—Captain, if you shake me by the collar again, I'll put a bullet through you. I!"

"Silence!" Let the worthy folk inside consider the position for five minutes."

"Not a minute longer, if they don't want the place burned about their ears, mind you," cried a voice that had not spoken yet.

"Who are you?" asked Sophie, still in

clined to vanity.

"Travelers, I have told you."

"Travelers, cut-throats and murderers—eight of us—knights of the road, gentlemen of the highway, and not to be traced with when half-starved and hard-driven," cried the hoarse man; "there, will that satisfy you, wench? Will you let us in, or not? It's easy enough for us to smash in the windows and get in that way, isn't it?"

Yes, it was very easy.

"Wait five minutes, please," said Sophie.

She went back to the parlor and to the two shivering women, and the crowd of maids who had crept from the dairy to the farm parlor, having greater faith in numbers now.

"They had better come in, aunt, especially as we are quite helpless to keep them out. I could fire that gun," Sophie said, pointing to an unwieldy old blunderbuss slung by straps to the ceiling, "and I know it's loaded. But I'm afraid it wouldn't be of much use."

"It might make them angry," said Mrs. Pemberthy.

"It would only kill one at the best," remarked Mrs. Tarne, with a heavy sigh.

"And the rest of them would kill us, the brutes," said Mrs. Pemberthy. "Yes, they'd better come in."

"Lord have mercy upon us," said Mrs. Tarne.

"There's no help for it," said Mrs. Pemberthy. "Even Reuben would not have dared to keep them out. I mind now their coming like this twenty years ago. It was—"

"I will see to them," said Sophie, who had become in her young brave strength quite the mistress of the ceremonies; leave the rest to me."

"And if you can persuade them to go away," began Mrs. Tarne; but her daughter had already disappeared, and was parleying through the keyhole with the strangers without.

"Such hospitality as we can offer, gentlemen, shall be at your service, providing always that you treat us with the respect due to good women and your hosts."

"Just to that," was the reply. "I will answer for myself and my companions, Mistress Pemberthy."

"You give me your word of honor."

"My word of honor," he repeated; "our words of honor, and speaking for all my good friends present; it is not so, men?"

"Ay, ay—that's right," chorused the good friends, and then Sophie Tarne, without an extra plunging of the heart beneath her white crossover, unlocked the stout oaken door and let in her unwelcome visitors. Seven out of the eight seemed to tumble in all at once, rushing against each other in their eagerness to enter, laughing, shouting and scuffling with the heels of their jackboots on the bright red carpets of the hall. The eighth intruder followed—a tall, thin man, pale-faced, and stern and young, with a heavy horseman's cloak falling from his shoulders, the front of which was gathered up across his arms. A handsome and yet worn face—the face of one who had seen better days and known brighter times—a picturesque kind of vagabond, take him in the candle-light. He raised his hat and bowed low to Sophie Tarne, not offering to shake hands as the rest of them had done who were crowding round her; then he seemed to stand suddenly between them and their salutations, and to crush them unceremoniously aside.

"You see to those horses, Stango and Grapp," he said, singling out the most obtrusive and the most black-muzzled of his gang; "Mistress Pemberthy will perhaps kindly trust us to a while with the keys of the stables and corn-bins."

"They are here," said Sophie, detaching them from a bunch of keys which in true housewifely fashion hung from her girdle; "the farm servants are away in the village, or they should help you, sir."

"We are in the habit of helping ourselves—very much," said one of the highwaymen, dryly; "pray don't apologize on that score, mistress."

Two of the men departed, five of them stalked into the farm parlor, flourishing their big hats and executing clumsy scrapings with their feet while bowing in mock fashion to the two nervous widows who sat in one corner regarding them askance; the leader of these lawless ones dropped his cloak from his shoulders, let it trail on the parlor floor, and made a rapid signal to his hand to Sophie to pause an instant before she opened the room.

"Treat them with fair words, and not too much strong waters," he said quickly; "we have a long ride before us."

He said it like a warning, and Sophie nodded as though she took his advice and was not ungrateful for it. Then they both went into the parlor and joined the company; and the maid-servants becoming used to the position or making the best of it, began to bustle about and wait upon their visitors, who had already drawn up their seats to the supper-table, which had been set out in the parlour of Reuben Pemberthy to Maythorpe.

It was an odd supper-party at which Sophie Tarne presided, the highwaymen insisting, with much clamour and some emphatic oaths, that they would have no old women like Mrs. Tarne and Mrs. Pemberthy at the head of the table. Sophie was a pretty wench, and so must do the honors of the feast.

"The young girl's health, gentlemen, with three times three, and may her husband be a matching knight of the road; and then the toast was drunk. The ale flowed freely, and there was much laughter and loud jesting.

"The man whom they had called 'Guy' and 'Captain' sat by Sophie's side. He ate very little, and kept a watchful eye upon his men, after Stango and his companion had come in from the stables, and completed the number. He exchanged at first but few words with Sophie, though he surveyed her with a grave attention that brought the color to her cheeks. He was a man upon guard.

Presently he said: "You bear your position well. You are not alarmed at these wild fellows?"

"No—not now. I don't think they would hurt me. Besides?"

"Besides—what?" he asked, as she paused.

"I have your word for them."

"Yes," he answered; but it is only a highwayman's word."

"I can trust it."

"These men can be demons when they like, Mistress Pemberthy."

Sophie did not think it worth while to inform the gentleman that her name was not Pemberthy; it could not possibly matter to him, and there was a difficulty in explaining the relationship she bore to the family.

"Why are you with such men as these?"

"Where should I be? Where can I be else?" he asked lightly now; but it was with a forced lightness of demeanor, or Sophie Tarne was very much deceived.

"Helping your king, not warring against him and his laws," said Sophie, very quickly.

"I owe no allegiance to King George. I have always been a ne'er-do-well, despised and scouted by a hard father and a villainous brother or two—and life with these good fellows here is, after all, to my mind. There's independence in it—and I prefer to be independent—and danger, and I like danger. A wronged man wrongs others in his turn, Mistress. And it is my turn now."

"Two wrongs cannot make a right."

"Oh, I do not attempt the impossible, Mistress Pemberthy."

"What will be the end of this—to you?"

"The galloos—if I cannot get my pistol out in time."

He laughed lightly and naturally enough, as Sophie shrank in terror from him; one could see he was a desperate man enough, despite his better manners—probably as great an outcast as the rest of them, and as little to be trusted.

"That is a dreadful end to look forward to, she said."

"I don't look forward. What is the use—when that is the prospect?"

"Your father—your brothers?"

"Would be glad that the end came soon," he concluded. "They are waiting for it patiently. They have prophesied it for the last five years."

"They know, then?"

"Oh yes, I have taken care that they should know," he answered, laughing defiantly again.

"And your mother—does she know?"

He paused, and looked at her very hard. "God forbid."

"She is?"

"She is in Heaven, where nothing is known of what goes on upon earth."

"How can you tell that?"

"There would be no peace in Heaven otherwise, Mistress Pemberthy. Only great grief, intense shame, misery, despair, madness at the true knowledge of us all," he said, passionately; "on earth we men are hypocrites and liars, devils and slaves."

"Not all men," said Sophie, thinking of Reu Pemberthy.

"I have met none other. Perhaps I have some name other—all my own fault, they will tell you where my father is. Where," he added bitterly "they are worse than I am, and yet oh! so respectable."

"You turned highwaymen to—to?"

To spite them, said he. It is very near the truth.

"It will be a poor excuse to the mother, when you see her again."

"Elph?"

But Sophie had no time to continue so abstract a subject with this misanthropical freebooter; she clapped her hand to her side, and gave a little squeak of astonishment.

"What is the matter?" asked Captain Guy.

"My keys! They have taken my keys," and sure enough, while Sophie Tarne had been talking to the captain, some one had severed the keys from her girdle and made off with them, and there was only a clean-cut black ribbon dangling at her waist instead.

"That villain Stango," exclaimed the captain. "I saw him pass a minute ago; he leaned over and whispered to you, Kits. You remember?"

"Stango?" said Kits, with far too innocent an expression to be genuine.

"Yes, Stango. You know he did."

"I dare say he did. I don't gainsay it, but I don't know where he has gone."

"But I will know," cried the captain, striking his hand upon the table and making every glass and plate jump thereon. "I will have no tricks played here without my consent. Am I your master, or are you mine?"

And here, we regret to say, Captain Guy swore a good deal, and became perfectly unheroic and inelegant and unromantic. But his outburst had more effect upon his unruly followers than his protests; and they set looking at him in a half-sullen, half-shameful manner, and would probably have succumbed to his influence had not attention being diverted and aroused by the reappearance of Stango, who staggered in with four or five great black bottles heaped high in his arms. A tremendous shout of applause and delight heralded his return to the parlor.

"We have been treated scurvily, my men," cried Stango, "exceedingly scurvily; the best and strongest stuff in the cellar has been kept back from us. It's excellent. I've been testing it first, lest you should all be poisoned; and there's more where this comes from—oceans more of it!"

"Hurray for Stango!"

The captain's voice was heard once more above the uproar, but it was only for a minute longer. There was a rush of six men toward Stango; a shouting, scrambling, fighting for the spirits which he had discovered; a crash of one black bottle to the floor, with spirits streaming over the polished boards, and the unceremonious tilting over of the upper part of the supper table in the ruffians' wild eagerness for drink.

"To horse, to horse, men! Have you forgotten how far we have got to go?" cried the captain.

But they had forgotten everything, and did not heed him. They were drinking strong waters, and were heedless of the hour and the risks they ran by a protracted stay there. In ten minutes from that time saturnalism had set in, and pandemonium seemed to have unloosed its choicest specimens. They sang, they danced, they raved, the blasphemers, they crowed like cocks, they fired pistols at the chimney ornaments, they chased the maid servants from room to room, they whirled round the room with Mrs. Tarne and Mrs. Pemberthy, they would have made a plunge at Sophie Tarne for partner had not the captain, very white and stern now, stood close to her side with a pistol at full-cock in his right hand.

"I shall shoot the first man down who touches you," he said between his set teeth."

"I will get away from them soon. For Heaven's sake—for mine—do not add to the horror of this night, sir," implored Sophie.

He paused.

"I beg your pardon," he said, in a low tone of voice, "but—but I am powerless to help you unless I quell these wolves at once. They are going off for more drink."

"What is to be done?"

"Can you sing, Mistress Pemberthy?"

"Yes, a little. At least, they say so," she said, blushing at her own self-commendation.

"Sing something—to gain time. I will slip away while you are singing and get the horses round to the front door. Do not be afraid. Gentlemen! he cried, in a loud voice, and bringing the handle of his pistol smartly on the head of the man nearest to him to emphasize his discourse, "Mistress Pemberthy will oblige the company with a song. Order and attention for the la'y."

"A song! a song!" exclaimed the high-

waymen, clapping their hands and stamping their heels upon the floor; and then, amidst the pause which followed, Sophie Tarne began a plaintive little ballad in a sweet, tremulous voice, which gained strength as she proceeded.

It was a strange scene awaiting the return of Reuben Pemberthy, whose tall form stood in the doorway before Sophie had finished her sweet, simple rendering of an old English ballad. Reuben's round blue eyes were distended with surprise, and his mouth, generally very set and close, like the mouth of a steel purse, was on this occasion, and for a while, wide open. Sophie Tarne singing her best to amuse this vile and disorderly crew, who sat or stood around the room, half drunk, and with glasses in their hands, pipes in their mouths, and the formidable old-fashioned horse-pistol in their pockets.

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"I did not think you could sing like that," said the captain quietly, and in a low voice, when Sophie had finished her song and a great shout of approval was echoing throughout the farm, and many hundred yards beyond it.

"You have not got the horses ready," said Sophie, becoming aware that he was still at her side. "You said—you promised—"

"I could not leave you whilst you were singing. Did you know that was my mother's song?"

"How should I know that?"

"No—no. But how strange—how—ah! there is your brother at the door. I have had the honor of meeting Master Pemberthy of Finchly earlier this evening, I think. A brave young gentleman; you should be proud of him."

"My brother! it is Reu. Oh! Reu, Reu, where have you been? Why did you not come before to help us—to tell us what to do?" And Sophie Tarne ran to him and put her arms about his neck and burst into tears. It was not a wise step on Sophie's part, but it was the reaction at the sight of her sweetheart, at a glimpse, as it were, of deliverance.

"There, there, don't cry, Sophie, keep a stout heart," he whispered; "if these villains have robbed us they will not be triumphant long. It will be my turn to crow presently."

"I don't understand."

"I can't explain now. Keep a good face—pry them with more drink—watch me. Well, my friends," he said, in a loud voice, you have stolen a march upon me this time; but I have got home, you see, in time to welcome you to Maythorpe, and share in your festivity. I'm a Pemberthy, and not likely to cry over spilt milk. More liquor for the gentlemen, you wenchies, and be quick about it. Captain, here's to you and your companions, and next time you catch a Pemberthy treat him more gently in return for a welcome here. More liquor girls—the gentlemen are thirsty after the long ride."

Reuben drank to the health of the gentlemen by whom he was surrounded; he was very much at home in his own house; very cool and undismayed, having recovered from his surprise at finding an evening party being celebrated in his house. The highwaymen were too much excited to see anything remarkable in the effusion of Reuben Pemberthy's greeting; these were lawless times when farmers and highwaymen were often in accord, dealt in each other's horses, and drove various bargains at odd seasons and in odd corners of the market places, and Reuben Pemberthy was not unknown to them, though they had



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home's sake—the home they would strip, or burn to the ground, if they only had the chance."

"Why do you wish to keep them here?" Sophie whispered back to him.

"I was released by a troop of soldiers who were coming in this direction," he said hurriedly. "They have gone on toward Finchley in search of these robbers, but failing to find them they will return here as my guests till morning. That was their promise."

"Oh!"

Sophie could not say more. Reuben had left her side and was talking and laughing with Stango as though he loved him.

"Your sweetheart, then, this cock-o'-the-game," said the captain to Sophie, as he approached once more.

"Yes."

"I had need wish you much joy, for I see but little toward it," as the poet says," he remarked bluntly. "He will not make you a good husband."

"You cannot say that."

"It's a hard case that will look into yours, mistress, and when trouble comes it will not look pleasantly. You are going to sing again. I am glad."

"You promised to go away—long since."

"I did. But the host has returned and I distrust him. I am waiting now to see the end of it."

"No—I hope not. Pray go, sir."

"Is there danger?"

"Yes."

"I thought so. I am fond of danger, I have told you. It braces me up, it—why are you so pale?"

"You have been kind to me, and you have saved me from indignity. Pray take your men away at once."

"They will not go, and I will not desert them."

"A song, a song. No more love-making to-night, captain. A song from the farmer's pretty lass," cried out the men.

And then Sophie began to sing again, this time a love-song, the song of a maiden waiting for her soldier-boy to come back from the wars, a maiden waiting for him, listening for him, hearing the tramp of his regiment on the way towards her. She looked at Captain Guy as she sang, and with much entreaty in her gaze, and he looked back at her from under the cock of his hat, which he had pulled over his brows; then he waved and stode out of the room.

Kite was at the door, still with his mug of brandy in his hand. Guy seized him by the ear and took him out with him into the fresh air, where the white frost was, and where the white moon was shining now.

"The soldiers are after us, and know where we are, Kite. Pitch that stuff away."

"Not if!"

"And get the horses ready—quick. I will be with you in a moment."

He walked along the garden path in front of the big old farm, swung wide the farm gates and propped them open. Then he went down on all-fours and put his ear to the ground and listened.

"Yes," he added, "two miles away, and coming on sharp. Why not let them come? What does it matter how soon?"

He strode back, however, with quick steps. Five minutes afterward he was at the door of the farm parlor again, with his cloak over his shoulder and his riding-whip in his hand.

"Boys, the red-coats are upon us!" he shouted. "Each man to his horse."

"We are betrayed, then!"

"We won't go and leave all the good things in this house," cried Stango; "why, it's like the Bank of England up-stairs, and I have the keys!"

"Stango, I shall certainly put a bullet through your head if you attempt to do anything more save to thank our worthy host for his hospitality, and give him up his keys. Do you hear?" he thundered forth; "will you hang us all, you fool, by your delay?"

The highwaymen were scurrying out of the room now—a few in too much haste to thank the givers of the feast, the others bowing and shaking hands in mock burlesque of their chief. Stango had thrown down his keys and run for it.

"Sorry we must leave you, Master Pemberty," said the captain, "but I certainly have the impression that a troop of horse soldiers is coming in this direction. Pure fancy, probably, but one cannot risk anything in these hard times. Your purse, sir, which I took this afternoon—I shall not require it. Buy Mistress Sophie a wedding present with it; good night."

He bowed low, but he did not smile till he met Sophie's frightened looks, then he bowed still lower, hat in hand, and said good-night with a funny break in his voice and a longing look in his dark eyes that Sophie did not readily forget.

It was all like a dream after the highwaymen had put spurs to their horses and galloped away from Maythorpe Farm.

It will be fifteen years come next winter-time since the "Minions of the Moon" held high carnival at the farm of Reuben Pemberty. Save that the trees all leaves and there is sunshine where the white frost lay, the farm looks very much the same; the great thatched roof has taken a darker tinge, and all the gold in it has turned to gray, and the walls are more weather-beaten than of yore; but it is the old farm still, standing "four-square," with the high road to Finchley winding over the green hill yonder like a great white dusty snake. Along the road comes a horseman at full speed, as though anxious to find a shelter before night-fall, for the King's highway in this direction is no safer than it used to be, and people talk of Abershaw and Barrington, and a man with sixteen strings to his hat, who are busy in this direction. But the days are long now, and it wants some hours before sundown, when the traveler leaps from his horse, and stands under the broad eaves of the porch, where the creepers are growing luxuriantly and are full of fair white flowers.

The traveler is a good horseman, though he has passed the heyday of his youth. It is not for some three minutes afterward that his man-servant, dust and blown and powdered thick with hot, comes up on horseback after him and takes charge of his master's steed. The master is a man of forty years or more, and looking somewhat older than his years, his hair being very gray. He stoops a little between the shoulders, too, when off his guard, though he can look straight and stalwart enough when put to it. He is very dark—a fiercer sun than that which shines on England has burned him a copper color—and he has a mustache that Munchausen might have envied.

He knocks at the door and asks if Master Reuben Pemberty can be seen at a moment's notice. The maid-servant looks

surprised, but says, "My mistress is within, sir."

"Reuben Pemberty's wife that is," he mutters, pulling thoughtfully at his long mustache; ah, well! perhaps she will see me."

"What name shall I say?"

"Sir Richard Isshaw; but she will not know the name."

He stands in the hall looking about him critically; his man-servant still mounted goes slowly back toward the roadway with his master's horse and his own, where he remains in waiting. Presently Sir Richard Isshaw is shown into the farm parlor, very cool and full of shadow, with great green plants on the broad recesses of the open window, and bees buzzing around them from the outer world.

A young woman in deep widow's weeds rises as he enters, and makes him one of those profound courtesies which was considered appropriate for the fair sex to display to those in rank and honor in the good old days when George was king. Surely a young woman still, despite the fifteen years that have passed, with a young supple figure and a pleasant unlined face. Eighteen years and fifteen only make thirty-three, and one can scarcely believe in times' inroads looking upon Sophie Pemberty. The man cannot. He is surprised, and he looks at her through tears in his dark eyes.

"You asked to see Mr. Reuben Pemberty," she says, sadly. "You did not know that?"

"No, I did not know," he says a little huskily; "I am a stranger to these parts. I have been long abroad."

"May I inquire the nature of your errand, Sir Richard?" she asks in a low voice; "though I am afraid I cannot be of any service as regards any business of the farm."

"How is that?" he asks steadily, keeping his gaze upon her.

"The farm passes to Mr. Pemberty's cousin in a few days' time."

"Indeed! Then you?"

He pauses half-way for a reply, but it is long in coming. Only the humming of the bees disturbs the silence of the room.

"Then you leave here?" he concludes at last.

"Yes. It is only the male Pembertys who rule," she says.

"Your—your children?"

"My one little boy, my dear Algy, died before his father. It was a great disappointment to my husband, that he should die. We female Pembertys," she says, with a sudden real bright little smile that settles down into sadness again very quickly, "do not count for a great deal in the family."

"How long has Mr. Pemberty been dead?"

"Six months."

"You are left poor," he says, very quickly now.

"I—I don't think you have a right to ask me such a question, sir."

"I have no right," he replies. "These are foreign manners. Excuse them, please. Don't mind me."

"Still he is persistent."

"From son to son's son, and the women left anywhere and anyhow—that is the Pemberty law, I expect. I have seen the workings of such a law before. Not that I ought to complain," he adds, with a forced laugh—a laugh that Mrs. Pemberty seems suddenly to remember—"for I have profited thereby."

"Indeed," says the farmer's widow, for the want of a better answer at the moment.

"I am a younger son; but all my brothers have been swept away by wars or pestilence, and I am sent for in hot haste—I who had shaken the dust of England from my feet for fifteen years."

"Fifteen years?"

"Almost. Don't you recollect the last time I was in this room?"

"You—in this room, Sir Richard?"

"Yes; try and remember what that was. I have only come to look at the old place and you, just for once, before I go away again. Try and think, Mistress Pemberty, as I used to call you."

She looks in the red, sunburnt face, starts, blushes, and looks away.

"Yes, I remember. You are"—

"Well!"

"Captain Guy!"

"Yes, that is it, Richard Guy Isshaw, the younger son who went wholly to the bay."

The only one out of the eight—the rest were hanged at Tyburn and Kennington, poor devils; and I thought I would ride over and thank you, and see you once more. Your husband would have hanged me, I daresay—but there, there, peace to his soul."

"Amen," whispers Sophie Pemberty.

"You saved me. You set me thinking of my young mother, who died when I was a lad, and loved me much too well. And you taught me there were warm and loving hearts in the world; and when I went away from here, I went away from the old life. I cannot say how that was; but," shrugging his shoulders, "so it was."

"It was a call," said Sophie, piously.

"A call to arms, for I went to the wars. And what is it now that brings me back here to thank you—an old time-worn robe turned soldier—and turned respectable! What is that?"

"I don't know."

"Another call, depend upon it. A call to Maythorpe, where I expected to find a fat farmer and his buxom partner, and a crowd of laughing boys and girls—where I hoped I might be of help to some of them, if help were needed. And," he adds, "I find only you—and you, just the same fair, bright girl I left behind me long ago."

"Oh no."

"It is like a dream. It is very remarkable to me; yes, it's another call, Mistress Pemberty, depend upon it."

And it is not the last call either. The estate of Sir Richard Isshaw lies not so many miles from Maythorpe Farm, that a good, long ride cannot overcome the distance between them. And the man turned respectable—the real baronet—is so very much alone and out of place in his big house, and knows not what to do.

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of her late loving but rather hard and unsympathetic husband's worldly goods.

And folks do say, Finchley way, that pretty Mistress Pemberty will be Lady Isshaw before the winter sets in; and that will be exactly fifteen years since these two first set eyes upon each other.

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three bottles of this medicine, have been entirely cured. My sight has been restored, and there is no sign of inflammation, sore, or ulcer in my eye.—Kendall T. Bowen, Sugar Tree Ridge, Ohio.

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**NEWTON CENTRE.**

—Mrs. Robert Hawthorne has gone to Wisconsin.

—Mr. D. T. Kidder and family have gone to Cataumut.

—Mr. J. C. Kittredge and family are at Scituate Harbor.

—Mr. John H. Sanborn has returned from Avon, N. Y.

—Mr. Louis Melcher and family have gone to Jefferson, N. H.

—Mr. E. T. Colburn and family are at the Great Head Hotel, Wintthrop.

—George P. Rice is spending his vacation at Old Orchard Beach.

—Mr. S. V. A. Hunter and family have gone to North Weymouth.

—Miss Ida Davis and Miss Mary Kingsbury are at Hyannis, Mass.

—Mr. A. H. Leonard, of Paul street, is building an addition to his house.

—Mrs. John H. Sanborn and family are spending a week in Brooklyn, N. Y.

—Mr. John Prouty of Yale '88 has been visiting Mr. Fred Bates for a few days.

—The Crescents of Newton Centre have reorganized and would like to hear from clubs whose average age is 16. Address P. O. Box 256, Newton Centre.

—Miss Grace Howes is spending the summer at her sister's in Attleboro.

—Mr. S. L. Pratt is laying the foundation for an addition to his already large carriage house.

—Mrs. S. M. Tourtellot and his daughter, Mrs. W. Claxton Bray, have gone to Lunenburg, Vt.

—Mrs. Charles Grout and Miss Louise Grout have gone to Campton, N. H., to spend the summer.

—Battery A of Boston passed up Beacon street on its way to South Framingham about noon Monday.

—Alderman Mason and family have returned from Hingham, where they have been spending the summer.

—Professor W. R. Harper, of the summer class in Hebrew, has been to Chataqua, N. Y., for the last few days.

—Mrs. John P. Gow with her little daughter, is spending the summer with her father, Dr. Alvah Hovey.

—Rev. D. L. Furber came home from Centre Harbor just in time to escape the fire at the Senter House.

—Mrs. E. F. Cushman and Miss Maud Cushman have gone to York Beach for the remainder of the summer.

—The Baptist society at a meeting held Monday evening, voted to authorize their committee to take full charge of furnishing the chapel of the new church, and to proceed to work at once.

—Messrs. Weir and Taylor are building a house for Mr. E. H. Haskell on the corner of Crescent avenue and Beacon street. O. F. Smith, who designs Professor English's house, opposite, is the architect.

—Mr. Gavoski, the French artist who painted the cyclorama of the battle between the Monitor and Merrimack, is occupying Harry Mason's house on Homer street. He is now at work in Boston on the cyclorama of the battle of Bunker Hill.

—Professor Andrews of Providence, R. I., formerly of the Theological Institute, will preach in the Baptist church on Sunday. Last Sunday the society had a very fine sermon from Rev. Dr. Chase of Minneapolis.

—Miss Bertha Forbes has been passing a week in the Green Mountain state visiting her friend, Mrs. F. G. McFarlan, formerly of Newton, in her pleasant home at the parsonage of the First Baptist church, Burlington, Vt.

—Many of the friends of Mr. B. W. Kingsbury kindly tendered their congratulations on the occasion of the 79th anniversary of his birthday, July 13th. A basket of flowers and a birthday cake tastefully ornamented with heliotrope and pansies, were presented by Mrs. Chauncey Ransom.

—The four courts of the Tennis Club are in good condition, and are much patronized by the members. This club was organized June 14, and is really an outgrowth of the Beacon Tennis Club. The president is John A. Daniels; secretary, Miss Chester; treasurer, W. B. Peters; vice-president, Fred Hovey. The courts are on the corner of Glen avenue and Station street.

—The reason the GRAPHICS were late last week at the post office, was because the bundles were left at the Newton Centre depot from half-past three Friday afternoon, until 10 o'clock Saturday morning. We have made arrangements to send them by express hereafter so that there may be no excuse for delay.

—Mrs. Maria Upham Drake was graduated in the Chataqua course at Framingham this week. She was chosen by the class to memorialize the late Dr. Steven of Hartford, Conn., a prominent member of the class of '87. The memorial service was held on Tuesday evening of this week, and Mrs. Drake in a few words, very fittingly and eloquently addressed the class on the life and work of their beloved friend and classmate.

—A memorable incident, in connection with the Colby commencement, came from the fact that three generations were represented in those who spoke on Wednesday. Rev. S. F. Smith, D. D., and his son, Rev. D. A. W. Smith, D. D., spoke at dinner, while the grandson, Appleton W. Smith, had a part as member of the graduating class. Mr. Shailer Matthews, of the last class, at the Theological Institution, was elected associate professor of rhetoric and instructor in elocution. He was a graduate of the college in the class of '84, and is regarded as admirably fitted for his position.

—Dr. H. J. Bigelow's fine house on the top of Oak Hill is almost completed. It is now being papered by Gregory & Brown of Boston. It was built by Miller, Ladd & Co., and painted by Cyrus T. Clark, all of Boston. The rooms are all very low studded, the walls being only 8 feet high. There are a parlor, dining-room, kitchen, and laundry on the ground floor, and five chambers on the second floor. The view from the little balcony on the very top of the house is very fine. The stable yard is inclosed by the wings of the house, which

connect with the stable, forming an old-fashioned court-yard.

—Mr. and Mrs. Gardner and three daughters have gone to Camden, Maine.

—It was stated last week that the ceiling of the station was orange. We beg the B. & A. R. R. Company's pardon. The ceiling is a beautiful pale pink. The first coat was orange.

—Maurice Wildes passed all the ten examinations for entrance to Harvard which he took this year. In the fall he will take the four remaining and will enter as a member of the class of '91.

—Dr. W. W. Hayden has added an office to his residence on Pleasant street, where he can now be found ready to give his best attention to all work in the line of dentistry.

—Chas. Kieser is building up a large business here as a plumber and sanitary engineer, as his work is promptly attended to and always satisfactorily done. His office is in White's block.

—A rather funny incident happened last Friday at one of the Newton newsdealers. A lady came in and asked for a GRAPHIC, but they had not been sent up from the depot. The dealer offered another paper, to which he said to contribute, but she did not care for it, and bought the GRAPHIC of the week before.

—Dr. Bodge launched his catamaran Thursday at City Point. The boat was taken from this village in sections about two o'clock in the morning. After the launching, it was moored and work commenced to get it in trim for sailing. Dr. Bodge has been very successful in making this boat, and expects to enjoy many trips in the harbor.

**CHESTNUT HILL.**

—Brookline's new fire alarm boxes are now in running order.

—Judge John Lowell and family are summering at Wintthrop, occupying their pleasant cottage there.

—Dr. and Mrs. D. D. Slade and two daughters were at the Senter House, Centre Harbor, N. H., at the time of the fire.

**NEWTON HIGHLANDS.**

—Dr. J. R. Deane, after a severe illness of two weeks, is out again.

—Mr. John P. Tenny and wife are at Sanborn, N. H., for a two week's vacation.

—Mr. and Mrs. James Simpson have arrived home from a short trip to the mountains.

—Mr. George Beal is at Nantasket, and Mrs. Beal is making a visit to friends in Marshfield.

—Mr. A. F. Hayward was at Saratoga last Friday, to attend a meeting of the wholesale confectioners.

—The new residence of Mr. Eleazar Thompson is beginning to show up largely on Hartford street.

—Mrs. Hiram Ross has returned from a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Douglas, at Providence, R. I.

—Mr. Whittemore's two houses on Lincoln street are being rapidly finished. Such buildings are creditable to any city.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Devision have returned from a ten day's sojourn at Fort Point, Stockton, Maine. Miss Eva Denison is at Plymouth.

—Lewis Wiggins, John Dugan and Thomas Comick, members of Clafin Guard, and Arlon Harris of the Boston Lancers, are attending the muster at Framingham this week.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Corey, after a pleasant sojourn of a week at the Highland House, at the Vineyard, have gone down to old Nantucket to see its wonders and catch blue fish.

—The last stone of the old stone blacksmith shop has been removed, and the place that once knew it will know it no more forever. Peace to its ashes.

—E. Fewkes & Son had a fine display of hollyhocks at the flower show at Horticultural Hall in Boston, last Saturday. They received a number of premiums and gratuities. J. F. C. Hyde also had an exhibition of hollyhocks.

—Mr. Watson has commenced to build two houses on the Richardson estate, lately purchased by him. Mr. Morrill, a builder from Boston, who is building a house for Mr. Hilton on Hartford street, has the contract.

—The Electric Light Company are painting the posts lately erected by them an olive color. If the city compel the company to paint their posts, why not have the fire alarm posts painted also. Would suggest to have them fire color.

—Rev. Mr. Morehouse from Foxcroft, Me., is making his annual visit at Mr. C. Harmon's, Oak Hill. He has occupied the pulpit once or twice at the Congregational church, during Rev. Mr. Phipps' vacation season, during the month of August.

—Mr. Alexander Tyler was at the Highlands a few days last week from Hampton, where he and Mrs. Tyler have been visiting her mother. After attending to the building of his house he has joined his wife and son at the guests of his sister, Mrs. C. P. Clark at Kennebunkport, Me.

—The funeral of Willie Whittemore was from his father's house on Monday, and was attended by a large number of sympathizing friends and relatives. Rev. Mr. Phipps performed the service. Mrs. Whittemore and her two daughters arrived home from Manchester-by-the-Sea the evening before the fatal casualty.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Clark, Jr., have gone to Kennebunkport, Me., to attend the wedding of his sister, Elizabeth Tyler Clark to Prof. Edward Young Hincks of Andover. It took place at the old Peter Clark mansion. A special car went from Boston to convey guests from this vicinity to witness the nuptials.

—A Boston & Albany Railroad brakeman having received an injury while in that service two years since, has been placed as flagman at the Cook street crossing, and a flag station is now being built for his use. It is now thirty-five years since trains first crossed Cooke street, but we think no accidents have occurred there, although there have been narrow escapes.

—The work of lowering the grade of Hancock street is nearly completed. The stone wall in front of Mr. C. C. Burr's residence has been lowered and the driveway of Mr. H. C. Churchill cut away to the level of the street.

**The Hincks-Clark Wedding.**

A large company of Newton Centre people went to Kennebunkport, Me., to attend the wedding of Miss Elizabeth Tyler Clark, daughter of Charles P. Clark, to Rev. Edward Young Hincks, D. D., professor of theology at Andover. The wedding was a very brilliant affair, a thousand invitations being issued, and took place in the parlor of the old Clark mansion, which has been in the bride's family for generations. The present house was built during the war of 1812, and narrowly escaped destruction at the hands of a crew of a British man-of-war. Their attempt was frustrated by the desperate resistance they encountered from a little garrison which occupied the "old fort" on Cape Arundel, the ruins of which now exist. It is a rather singular fact, however, that this is the first wedding to be performed in the house since 1834, when the present bride's grandmother was married. A vast concourse of friends and relatives thronged the house and grounds, all with words of well-wishes for the bride, whom many had known since a little child she spent her summers in this shady old place.

The house itself was decked out in imposing style with ferns, plants and flowers. The iron rods of the front yard fence were intertwined with evergreen, presenting an unique and beautiful appearance which was lightened by an arching of oak boughs over the doorway. A tent pitched on the lawn, under the elms, provided shelter for the guests while the refreshments were served. Shortly after 1 o'clock the ceremony was begun in the spacious parlor under a huge bell of wild flowers and by a pillar of green trimmed with hydrangeas. Rev. Edward S. Clark, an uncle of the bride, performed the ceremony, assisted by Dr. W. F. Moody of Kennebunkport. The bride was beautifully attired in a dress of crepe de chene. The happy couple were accompanied by four grooms and bridesmaids. Messrs. E. A. Stevens and Dr. J. H. Swazey, P. R. Stevens, N. M. Walker, accompanied the bridegroom, and Miss Annie Hincks, Miss Sally Clark, Miss Jennie Tyler and Miss May Clark attended the bride. There were many distinguished persons present from Boston and elsewhere. Mr. Charles P. Clark was on hand to welcome the guests and give the bride away. Prof. Hincks and bride go east on a wedding tour their exact destination being kept a profound secret.

Among the guest who went from this vicinity on the special car from Boston were Mr. Arthur C. Walworth, Rev. T. J. Holmes, Rev. Dr. Furber, Col. I. F. Kingsbury, wife and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Avery Rand, Miss Minnie Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Fitz, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Seudder, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Ordway, Mrs. W. H. Brackett and daughter, Mr. C. B. Lancaster, wife and daughter, Mr. Ernest Porter, Mr. Robert Hawthorne and daughter, Mr. Geo. C. Lord, Mr. W. Webster, Mrs. E. A. Ellis, and a large number of others. The party arrived at the homestead at about 12:45, and many of them returned after the reception.

**A Sad Shooting Affair.**

The shooting of a boy at the Newton Highlands rifle range last Saturday afternoon was one of the saddest accidents that have occurred in the city. Willie, the 12-year-old son of Mr. Samson D. Whittemore, was tending target for Samuel Shaw and another gentleman. He had arranged the targets and went behind the target-house without hoisting the danger sign. The target is a large canvas affair, and the boy was completely behind it. When Mr. Shaw fired, the ball, a 28 calibre, went through the target and struck the boy in the left side, below the heart, and passed through his body. The poor boy was not killed instantly, but died on the way to his home on Forest street. Mr. Shaw was so entirely overcome that he fainted. It was a most deplorable accident, but no blame can be attached to Mr. Shaw. The parents have the sympathy of the whole community in their terrible affliction.

**A Card.**

The undersigned would acknowledge the courteous reception and generous hospitality of the Columbia Bicycle Club of North Attleboro, Mass. He met them one day as a wayfarer on the road, having no claim except the freemasonry of the wheel, and the hearty welcome from each member of the club present was as grateful as it was unexpected. Prosperity and success to the fraternity of wheelmen, wherever they be, and especially to those who carry their hearts in their hands and whose catch-strings are always out for the stranger!

A. M. GOOCH.

Newton Centre, July 20.

**Boston's Amusements.**

The Boston Museum, the only theater now open, is having great success with Corinne in the new "Arcadia." Corinne has lately added several new specialties in her scenes as Tom, Tom, the Piper's Son. Other new acts have been introduced to give a fresh interest to the entertainment. Mr. Harry Clarke, the "silver-voiced tenor," made his first appearance Monday evening in German specialties and Tyrolean warbling, and gained great favor by his contributions to the evening's successes. The kindergarten scene has been enlivened by the introduction of a boxing lesson, and other less prominent changes have been made in the general character of the piece since last week. This is the last week but one of the Corinne season, and "Arcadia" will have performances every evening and on Wednesday and Saturday afternoons. A promenade concert is given in the foyer for half an hour before each performance. On Monday, Aug. 1, Atkinson's "Aphrodite," described as a "mythological musical novelty," will have its first performance in this city at this house.

**NEWTON UPPER FALLS.**

—Mr. W. H. Gould and wife are at Hampton Beach.

—Mr. W. R. Dresser has moved into his new house on Chestnut street.

—The Methodist Sunday School went to Nantasket Beach on Thursday and enjoyed their annual picnic.

—The Baptist pulpit was occupied by Rev. Mr. Wyman on Sunday last.

—Miss Lizzie W. Everett is at the Lake View camp grounds, Framingham.

—There are still some cases of scarlet fever in the place, and it becomes those who have children to use the greatest care to prevent their catching this terrible disease.

**MARRIED.**

At Newton, July 10, by Rev. H. F. Titus, Arthur H. Smith of Springfield and Nellie J. L. Chamberlain of West Brookfield.

At West Newton, July 21, by Rev. H. J. Patrick, Benjamin F. Marvie and Miss Harriet A. Butler, both of Cambridge. No cards.

At Newton Upper Falls, April 20, by Rev. M. O'Brien, John L. Dwyer and Clara M. Simon, both of Newton.

At Newton Upper Falls, April 24, by Rev. M. O'Brien, Thomas Riley of Boston and Ellen Driscoll of Newton.

At Newton Upper Falls, April 24, by Rev. M. O'Brien, L. Doyle and Catherine T. Daly, both of Newton.

At Newton Upper Falls, May 24, by Rev. M. O'Brien, Charles S. Hald and Rose Dugan, both of Newton.

**DIED.**

At Wellesley July 16, Mary, wife of Daniel Grant, 74 years 6 months.

At Newton Highlands, July 16, suddenly, William Child, only son of S. D. Whittemore, 12 years 10 months.

At Newton Upper Falls, July 15, Mary, wife of Carl Daniels, 52 years.

At Newton Upper Falls, July 16, Margaret E., daughter of Frank Farrar, 5 months 13 days.

At West Newton, July 17, Mrs. Charlotte L. Nettleton, 76 years, 2 months 18 days.

At Nonantum, July 16, Michael Ryan, 34 years 10 months.

At Nonantum, July 18, Timothy, son of Timothy Philpot, 7 months 18 days.

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—C. E. Whitmore, Jr., is at Monument Beach.

—Mr. Francis P. Owen is at Brunswick, Maine.

—Mr. B. I. Leeds and family are at Revere Beach.

—Mrs. W. L. Lowell has gone to Freeport, Maine.

—Mr. W. L. Lowell has gone to Halifax, Nova Scotia.

—Mrs. Anna E. Eager is at the Park House, Nantasket.

—Mr. E. W. Gay is at the Highland House, Cottage City.

—Mr. Edward Chase has returned home from his summer trip.

—Mrs. C. A. Cox and family are at Hotel Humarock, Seaside.

—Mr. George Blackwell and wife have gone to Waterville, Maine.

—Macaulay Godfrey is spending a few days at Manchester-by-the-Sea.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. S. March, Jr., are at Richfield Springs, New York.

—Misses Belle and Elizabeth Shinn are spending the week at Magnolia.

—Mr. W. H. Bhodgett and family are at the Maplewood, Bethlehem, N. H.

—Mr. George Fitch and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. N. Wood are at Onset Bay.

—Mr. N. P. Coburn and wife and Mrs. E. H. Coburn are at Hotel Preston, Swampscott.

—A. L. Rhynd is offering great bargains in boots and shoes, at his store in Hyde's block.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Leonard are sojourning at Jordan Cottage, Crescent Beach.

—Mr. Joel Hills, while at Martha's Vineyard last week, visited Mattaketts Lodge, Katama.

—Mr. E. F. Barnes and family are among the recent arrivals at Hotel Look Off, Lisbon, N. H.

—Mr. George Hyde and wife are registered among the late arrivals at the Oceanic House, Isle of Shoals.

—Mr. G. H. Loomis has let his cottage on Ocean Avenue, Cottage City, for the remainder of the summer.

—Mrs. John Stetson and Frank O. Stetson are at Brunswick, Maine, for the remainder of the summer.

—Mr. and Mrs. N. K. Putnam and Mr. and Mrs. Fred. A. Gay are at the East End Hotel, Nantasket, for the season.

—Mr. and Mrs. John P. Treadwell of Newton, who have recently gone abroad, will return in the early autumn.

—The house of Mr. N. P. Cutler, Montrose street, was entered by burglars Sunday night. The burglar alarm aroused the family, and the thieves were frightened away.

—Mrs. Fearing of this city took a prominent part in the play of "Trial by Jury," which was produced Tuesday and Wednesday by a company of the summer visitors at Marblehead.

—Mr. Aaron Emery and family, Mrs. D. K. Hitchcock, Miss Hitchcock, and Dr. E. B. Hitchcock and wife, left this week for Quincy Point, where they have taken a cottage for the summer.

—A pair of horses attached to a confectionary wagon became frightened by boys on Gardiner street, Newton, Sunday, and ran, coming into collision with a stone wall. The driver, Mr. R. H. White, was thrown out and badly hurt.

—A baby was born to a family of English people in Ward One, the other day, and a neighbor's little girl gravely remarked that it would have been a great joke if the doctor had brought a baby that was not English.

—The tax rate will soon be fixed for the year. The state tax has increased \$14,000 over last year, and the county tax \$2,000, making \$16,000 more to pay than in 1886. This naturally will increase the rate somewhat in our city.

—Officers Baker and Emerson had a lively tussle with two of Simpson Brothers' men a few evenings ago. After getting possession of the officers' billies and wrenching apart a pair of handcuffs the men were overcome and locked up, with the assistance of a couple of lookers-on.

—Rev. Mr. Hornbroke and family left this week for their annual vacation. Until August 2d Rev. Mr. Hornbroke's address will be care of Mr. George C. Lord, Wells, Me.; from August 3d until August 17th, he will be at the Crescent House, Randolph Hill, Gorham, N. H., and after that at Bethel, Me., until September 8th.

—Rev. David Gregg, D. D., of Park street church, Boston, will preach in Eliot Hall at 10:45 a. m., and 7 p. m. on Sunday. All who have heard this noted and interesting preacher will want to hear him again, and all who have not will be richly repaid for going. Dr. Gregg preached several times in the old Eliot church when he was located in New York, and always with ability and eloquence. All are cordially invited.

—Rev. H. F. Titus conducted the Y. M. C. A. services at 4 o'clock last Sunday, and spoke in a very interesting and impressive manner. Next Sunday Rev. John A. McElwain, assistant pastor of the Clarendon street Baptist church, Boston, will preach. He was actively engaged in the revival work at Dr. Gordon's church, last winter, and is an earnest, eloquent speaker. Those that come to hear him will be well repaid.

—The Congregationalist says that the Framingham Assembly session "culminated happily Saturday afternoon in the rendering of Mr. J. Eliot Trowbridge's recently composed Oration of Emmanuel. The performance was directed by Professor Shervin, and the rendering of many passages was extremely effective. The oratorio itself, upon which many favorable comments were made when it was first rendered in Newton, is refined and dignified, and not too classical for the average chorus and audience. Though the singers began rehearsing as late as Monday, they deserve praise for their work, and the author

merits the gratitude of lovers of sacred song."

—Miss Clara E. Sheppard is at Camden, Me., for a few weeks.

—Miss A. L. West is at Kennebunk Beach, Me., for the rest of the summer.

—Misses E. C. and S. W. Jackson left this week for Bass Rocks, Gloucester.

—Miss Alice Poore has returned to the Hotel Hunnewell from her visit to Pittsfield.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Hyde left this week for New London, N. H., to remain during August.

—Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Ripley, William Ripley and Walter Ellis leave Saturday for Osterville.

—Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Baker are enjoying the summer at Captain Rodney Baxter's, Hyannis.

—Mr. Edwin Warner is improving so much in health that he is now able with a little assistance to walk from one room to another.

—Mr. J. M. Clapp, after a short visit home has gone to his farm in Dakota, to take care of his wheat harvest, of some 2,000 acres.

—The building committee of Eliot church hold a meeting this (Friday) afternoon, to consider the bids received for the new church building.

—Capt. George H. Benyon won the officers' prize at the rifle shoot at So. Framingham, last week. He scored 49 out of a possible 50, an unusual good record.

—Charles F. Rand sold at auction Saturday, 11,000 feet of land on the corner of Chester and Ashford streets, Allston, for \$1,400 cash, to Samuel Howe, Esq., of Allston.

—Dr. Field leaves to-day for the Oak Hill House, Littleton, N. H., to remain until August 9th. His patients will be left in the care of Dr. Frisbie, who returned Thursday night from his White Mountain trip.

—The Newton Bicycle Club's road race comes off to-morrow (Saturday) at 4 p. m., the start being from Eliot Block. The course extends to Natick and covers 25 miles. The race is for the club championship, with medals for first, second and third men.

—The course of three lectures which Dr. Mary E. Bates of Newton Centre delivered in various places, were so highly spoken of that there is a general desire to have her repeat them in Newton next winter. They were on the general subject of health, and were highly endorsed by Mrs. Livermore and others who heard them.

—The family of the late Josiah Lasell, after whom Lasell Seminary was named, have given \$30,000 for a new gymnasium at Williams College. The old building was destroyed by a cyclone in 1883, and Mr. Lasell, who was then living and a member of the class of '44, gave \$5,000 at once towards the replacement of it. The new structure will henceforth bear his name.

—The picnic of the Newton, West Newton, Watertown and Waltham courts of the Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters at Lake Walden on Wednesday, was attended by about a thousand persons. The sports comprised a ball game, 100-yard dash, one-half-mile run, potato race, tub race, boat races, etc. The half-mile race was won by John Kiley of West Newton. The boat race was won by the Bowman brothers of Newton Centre, and Mills of Watertown won the 100-yard dash.

—The following ministers will occupy the pulpit of Channing church at the times designated: Sunday, July 31, Charles C. Vinal of Kennebunk, Me.; Sunday, Aug. 7, Rev. Samuel M. Crothers of St. Paul, Minn.; Sunday, Aug. 14, Rev. Benjamin H. Bailey of Malden, Mass.; Sunday, Aug. 21, Rev. Charles A. Allen of New Orleans, La.; Sunday, Aug. 28, Mr. Augustus M. Lord of Cambridge, Mass.; Sunday, Sept. 4, Rev. E. H. Young of Boston, Mass.

—Clarence A. Marshall of this village has been selected from a number of applicants as successor of Prof. H. B. Roney, musical director and organist at St. John's church, East Saginaw, Mich. The choir consists of about 100 boys. Prof. Roney has taken a position in Chicago and speaks in the highest terms of Mr. Marshall's qualifications to fill the position he has resigned. Mr. Marshall will also open studios at East Saginaw and Bay City for private teaching about the 1st of September. Mr. Marshall has the best wishes of his friends here for his success in his new field.

—The marriage of Miss Julia Phillips to M. J. Connory took place Wednesday evening at the residence of Rev. Father Walsh, and a reception was held afterwards at the home of Mrs. Mary Walsh, Washington street, which was largely attended. The bride was handsomely dressed in white, and the happy couple received a large number of valuable presents. During the reception Miss Nina Walsh played several piano selections, accompanied on the violin by Mr. John Grace, and Mr. Daniel Shea on the banjo. The house was tastefully decorated with flowers, and after the wedding supper dancing was enjoyed by the guests. Mr. and Mrs. Connory will board with Mrs. Walsh.

—On last Monday afternoon the memorial to Mrs. Sarah W. Freeland was formally dedicated at the service held in the chapel of Grace church. This memorial is a re-dedication of a back ground to the altar, and measures about 7 by 7. The face is ornamented with lines forming gothic devices, and the cornice is of moulded, notched work. It was erected by the Meany firm of stone workers of Boston, from architectural designs furnished by Mr. George M. Shinn. The re-dedication was the gift of Mrs. Clavin of Milford, the sister of Mrs. Freeland, and is a most appropriate and durable plan for perpetuating the memory of a beautiful and useful life. At the service held on the afternoon of St. James' Day, the Rev. Dr. Shinn gave a brief sketch of the life of Mrs. Freeland, and spoke of the propriety of commemorating the departed by associating their names and their virtues with the Lord's House. He expressed the hope that instead of the erection of costly monuments in cemeteries, the usage would grow of adorning the church with memorials, and of erecting memorial funds to carry on the good work

which they who are gone once delighted in.

—Mrs. M. G. Pearson left this week for Southwest Harbor, Mt. Desert.

—Miss Cora Milliken has joined the Newton Colony at New London, N. H.

—Mrs. M. M. Cobb and W. F. Cobb are at Coleraine, Mass., for a few weeks.

—Mr. Renslow Crosby and family and Miss Lucy F. Soule left this week for Island Creek, Mass.

—The subject of Rev. Mr. Nichols sermon next Sunday morning at the Methodist church will be "Thy will be done." In the evening, "The largeness of God's providences."

—The time of the first road race of the Newton Bicycle Club, which was advertised to take place at 4 p. m. Saturday, has been changed to 3 p. m. The start will be from the Newton Bank. Mr. A. A. Glines will act as clerk and timekeeper.

—Messrs. Edwin O. Childs, G. F. Donkin, E. A. Wood, H. Russell, A. M. Beers, G. B. Appleton and F. Johnson leave Saturday for a two week's cruise in the yacht "Mabel." They will make Kennebunk their headquarters, and hope to go as far as Bar Harbor.

—Mr. F. E. Hamlin suffered a severe sunstroke on Tuesday, which will probably confine him to the house for some months. He was at work on the roof of a house at Newton Centre, and feeling unwell he went down; as he reached the ground he fell unconscious, and was brought to his home on Channing street. Dr. Keith attended him and pronounced it sunstroke, but it is hoped that no serious consequences will follow. He has improved somewhat in the past few days, but is still confined to his bed.

—The annual meeting of the Massachusetts Division, League of American Wheelmen, will be held at Cottage City, Martha's Vineyard, Aug. 4, 5 and 6. Mr. Arthur A. Glines, consul for Newton of the L. A. W., intends being present, and will be pleased to hear from any of the L. A. W. members who think of going. Fare for the round trip \$2.50, and wheels free. Annual meeting an excursion and clam bake at Katama, and a band concert occur Thursday. A parade, 4 races and a reception and ball at Casino on Friday. A sailing excursion, a game of base ball and a hop at the Sea View, Saturday. Bathing, bluffing, tennis and fishing ad lib. What is the matter with that program?

## NONANTUM.

—A stand-pipe for filling the watering carts has been put in on Watertown street.

—Mr. Wm. Burt's new house is about completed. He expects to move in next week.

—Some of the young ladies of this village are taking the benefit of the "Country Week."

—William Farley will occupy the cottage, corner of California and Bridge street, August 1.

—A large delegation from this village attended the C. O. F. picnic at Lake Walden on Wednesday.

—The household effects of Mr. A. W. Bigelow were sold at auction on Saturday last, and fair prices were realized.

—A new iron drinking fountain has been purchased by the city, and will be placed in the place of the old stone one.

—The citizens are complaining that the streets, and especially the sidewalks in this vicinity, are not properly taken care of.

—Rev. J. L. Evans of the North Evangelical church has moved into the house owned by Daniel Stearns on Watertown street.

—Rev. Mr. Evans has been engaged to fill the pulpit at the North Evangelical church during the absence of Rev. Mr. Lamb.

—Mr. William Hamilton has moved from the Worst Co. house on Bridge street to the cottage house on Morse street, opposite Dalby's hosiery mill.

—Miss Julia Arnold, who has been very sick, is reported as being much better. This will cheer the hearts of her many friends.

—There was a party last Friday evening at Mr. E. Neild's house on Faxon street. A collation was served and a good time was enjoyed, the party breaking up at a late hour.

—Many of the old hands who moved away on account of the dullness of business at the Nonantum Mills are returning to their old positions. W. R. Ellery has returned from Lawrence, Mary Kneeland from Manchester, Kate Sullivan from Waltham, and a number from other places. This would seem to indicate that the Nonantum Mills is a superior place to many others to work at.

## Commander Patch's Funeral.

A special train will leave Boston at 12 o'clock, Sunday, to carry those who wish to attend the funeral of Past Department Commander George Patch, at South Framingham, which will be held at 1.30. The train will stop at Newtonville to take on board the members of Charles Ward Post.

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Joseph Murry  
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Miss Laura Falm  
Miss Maud Percy  
Miss Della Shannon  
Mary White  
Penelope R Walback



## MISS STONE'S HALLUCINATION.

NO SUCH MAN AS MR. CROWNSHIELD.—STATEMENT OF A FRIEND—MISS STONE SENT TO AN ASYLUM.

The ultimate phase of the Crownsfield-Stone affair is a very sad one, says the Boston Record, sadder in every way than if there had been a lover of Miss Florence Stone and he had really died just as she was about to sail for England to be married, for now the most charitable construction that can be put upon the lady's conduct is that she was the victim of a strange hallucination and has not consciously deceived her friends, who have placed every confidence in her till the denouement proved that the whole story of her courtship and coming marriage to the wealthy English Crownsfield was the creation of her own brain. The wealthy lover does not exist and never did; the letters which the unfortunate woman would read so readily to those who were in her confidence came through no mail, and were received only at the delivery of her own diseased imagination; the royal gift that her future husband was to present to her on her wedding day was as mythical as the golden treasures of El Dorado.

The pitiful part of the matter is, that those who knew her best and trusted and loved her most now realize that her whole life for the past two years has been one continued deceit, and they are fain to conclude that she was not herself in all this, which conclusion must be the correct one, for it is impossible that a woman of her character could have systematically and consistently carried on such a farce for so long a time, had she been in her right mind. As it is, it is wonderful that she could bring her friends into such complete participation in all her plans with never a flaw appearing to arouse suspicion. They believed in the far-off Mr. Crownsfield, believed in his immense wealth, believed in the ocean voyage to meet him and for a long time believed in his death.

Just what event was so powerful in affecting Miss Stone's mind is not known, and perhaps never will be. The story of her infatuation for Mr. Caspar Crownsfield her friends are inclined to discredit. They do not understand that she claimed that her lover's name was Caspar, and the gentleman of that name in Boston has never had the experiences that she attributed to her cavalier. Even in her madness she was consistent, indeed that was the prominent feature of it, and she would be careful not to introduce any flaws in her story by mixing up an American with an Englishman.

MR. COFFIN'S STATEMENT.  
A reporter called upon Mr. W. H. Coffin at his residence in Brighton, where Miss Stone had lived for some time past. Mr. Coffin was sick and could not see him, but he sent out word that the facts stated above were true. This, of course, is authoritative, coming from the very fountain-head of information, for Mrs. Coffin went to New York with Miss Stone, and is now nearly blind, and the unfortunate occurrence of that trip.

THE STORY CONFIRMED.  
Another gentleman was seen who knew Miss Stone intimately, and in whose family she had been a governess, and he said: "The outcome of this affair has simply amazed me; I shall never have any faith in human nature again. She was the governess of my child, who loved her as she would a sister. We all honored her for her independence in preferring to teach rather than be dependent on her relatives for support. She was modest, gentle and unassuming, and I never saw the slightest sign of derangement in her. She used to talk with me freely about her engagement and coming marriage to Mr. Crownsfield, and always so rationally that I never was led to suspect that it was not all straight. If she had put others to expense she has certainly spent a great deal of money herself in her hallucination. She had me make her two big oak chests to carry her things to England. I turned out two splendid ones for her, but in a short time they came back because I had put pine bottoms in them. She wanted them solid oak throughout, she said, to show Mr. Crownsfield how we did things over here. She also told me of the memorial chapel that her lover was to erect in Chestnut Hill. She said he wanted to build one in honor of his father either in Brooklyn or New York, but that she persuaded him to locate it in Chestnut Hill, since he was an Englishman and it would make no special difference to him.

"She also told me a story which, of course, we credited at the time, to the effect that Mr. Dana Estes, of Estes & Lauriat, in whose family she was at one time governess, met her and her betrothed in a horse car one day, and from seeing her in such aristocratic company came to regard her with more respect. That anecdote is probably part and parcel with the rest. How it could have happened I certainly am at a loss to know; she was sane enough on every other topic."

SENT TO AN ASYLUM.

Miss Florence Stone has been judicially declared insane and was removed Monday morning to the Hudson River State Asylum at Poughkeepsie. Her mental condition was examined into on Saturday by Drs. Milton J. Roberts and J. Leonard Corning, commissioners in lunacy appointed by Judge Donohue, of the supreme court of New York. They reported that Miss Stone "had entertained the exalted delusion that she was about to marry a millionaire; that she was to be married in St. George's church, London, and that her lover finally died. She caused," the report further states, "a large number of friends to come to New York to accompany her on this imaginary wedding tour. She has lost sleep, has occasional hallucinations at night and has lucid intervals at times." The physicians have but slight hopes that Miss Stone will recover her mental faculties.

## The Allen School.

Mr. Edward E. Allen, who has been engaged as instructor in the upper English and classical departments of the West Newton English and Classical School, after graduating at Harvard in '84, was connected with the Harvard Medical School one year. He has the past two years been instructor of ancient and modern languages and natural science in the Royal Normal College for the Blind in London, Eng., of which our distinguished countryman, Prof. T. J. Campbell, LL.D., is president. Mr. Allen is son of Mr. James F. Allen, and comes to the general work with which he is not unacquainted and to which we are confident he will bring the enthusiasm of a young man joined to ripe scholarship and rare experience.—[Boston Home Journal.]

## The Piazza Decorative Mania.

I observed, by the way, a dreadful development of the aesthetic principle in the course of a recent drive through several of our suburbs. It appears that there has this season broken out, with some violence, a mania for the decoration of piazzas, which promises, if not quickly suppressed, to make sad work of country residences and summer cottages. One house which I observed particularly had a noble veranda; broad, airy and the very picture of coolness and refreshing shade. But the ceiling was decorated with strips of blue and red; the painter had been let loose upon the sides and pillars, and everywhere, against the side of the house which formed the background, were stuck gaudily colored fans. The whole resulted in an irresistible reminder of Downer's Landing. Perhaps it is not too late to do some little good by protesting against this sort of thing. It should be pointed out to these deluded decorators that a piazza painted in dark browns or grays, furnished with hammocks and comfortable chairs, looks exactly as it should look, and is therefore completely "artistic," since that is no doubt what they are after; while a summer piazza gaudily painted and backed by cheap Japanese fans is neither a piazza, nor a reception room, nor a summer house, nor anything that they may fondly fancy it to be. It is simply a terror to the rightly cultivated eye and a grief to all who enjoy the beauties of Boston's suburbs and are proud of them.—[Taverner, in Boston Post.]

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## CLOTHES AND COSTUMES.

HOW PROMINENT NOVELISTS DESCRIBED THE DRESS OF HEROES AND HEROINES.

Some authors in this matter, says a writer in the Woman's Argosy, have almost a genius for taste, and can express a character or indicate a mood by the very color and texture of a garment, by the play of folds and the sweep of the train of a robe. Others, again, strike out at random, and describe whatever they consider abstractly pretty, without reference to the unities of time, place and person; as when Thomas Hardy thinks to enlighten the beauty of a widow in deep weeds by decking her with a burning coral ornament; and Charlotte Bronte makes Jane's rival play at billiards in a dress of blue crape.

Some others, again, seem scarcely to know that so important an adjunct to the picturesque of their *mise-en-scene* exists, and like Thackeray, when they clothe their women at all, do it in the vaguest and most general way. Thackeray made a feature of the frogs, gold lace, Hessian boots, high stocks and flowered dressing-gowns of his men; and who can ever forget the "curley-mot-un-yew" of Harry Foker? while he scarcely ever shows us Jos Sedley except in "full tog"; but he seems half afraid to touch the mysteries of the feminine toilette, although once he does express Becky's simple artlessness by a gown of white muslin and blue ribbons. He lets us see Lady Maria Esmond's little clocked stocking, little black satin slippers with little red heels, but says never a word of the gown that goes with them. Blanche Amory, the most stylish of all his young *mondaïnes*, we never see more definitely dressed than in white silk, except on one conspicuous occasion, when certainly neither the author of "Mes Larmes" could have dressed her, nor yet her maid, but when Thackeray himself must have clutched wildly at his costume "props"; and so her bonnet was "pink," and her parasol "light blue."

Dobbin reports that Amelia Sedley was married in a brown pelisse and the inevitable pink ribbons, and we all know brave Peggy O'Dowd, with a cock's plume in her hat and a huge "repaythier" at her waist. Thackeray's usual manner of indicating youthful and feminine blitheness is by a general indefiniteness of fresh complexion and pink bonnets; otherwise he is as indifferent to feminine costume as Jane Austen.

Curiously enough, for a woman writer, Jane Austen never describes a complete toilette. She has a way of throwing white muslin over her heroines—muslin sprigged, muslin plain, muslin spotted, muslin embroidered, mull or jaconet—but beyond that she enters into few details. This is the more noticeable that in her private life she was in a small provincial atmosphere of teas, gossip and woman's finery, and her correspondence was full of such. Perhaps the bourgeoisly moral tone she adopted in the society of her "elegant females" and gentlemenlike men was the cause of this, for in "Northanger Abbey" she takes pains to say: "Dress is a frivolous distinction, and excessive solicitude about it often destroys its own aim. Little is the heart of man effected by what is new or costly in woman's attire; little is it biased by the texture of their muslin; and how unresponsive to peculiar tenderness toward muslin, tambooured or plain. Woman is fine for her own satisfaction only. No man will admire her the more, no woman will like her the better for it." George Eliot had decided other ideas, plain elderly woman though she was while writing her novels, and by her own confession in her correspondence, apropos of a certain gray brocade, dowdily indifferent to it for her own self. The costuming of her women is a salient artistic touch of her stories, and she pays her highest possible tribute to Dorothea's Madonna-like beauty in the very first lines of "Middlemarch," when she says it was a kind thrown into relief by poor dress. She invariably dresses Dorothea in a manner to enhance this nun-like character of her beauty, as she gives Rosamond butterfly colors, and Romola the black serge and golden hair of a Fra Angelico virgin. Unhappy Mrs. Transome glides through her chapters always still and cold, like sepulchral marble, in her aged velvet and lace. The Dodsdon sisters were fussy about their caps and false fronts; little Hetty ran to earrings, as well as did the Cohens; and even Mrs. Holt, when she goes to the little minister with her heart breaking for her boy, takes pains to dress herself in a gown previously cast off, a front all out of curl, and a cap with no starch in it; and another time, visiting Transome Hall, was attired with a view not to charm the eye, but rather to afflict it with all the expression of woe that belongs to very rusty bombazine and the limpest state of false hair.

Like George Eliot, Howells follows hits off character—or traits of it—by certain touches of dress. How could independent sturdiness of character, strong-mindedness, perhaps, be better described than by his picture of Miss Grey's head-gear in "The Scarborough Family"? She always wears a slouch hat, which, from motives of propriety, she called her bonnet, and which gave her a singular appearance, as though put on solely to thwart her from the weather. It was made generally of black straw, and was round at all points of the circle, and fastened with broad brown ribbons. It was supposed in the neighborhood to be completely water tight.

William Black's heroines, whatever their diversities of character and likeliness of situation, invariably have one thing common—their style of dress. They are all physically of one type, too; and a portrait of one, with trifling changes, perhaps, of hair and eyes, would answer for all the fair throng. They are always tall, fair, and slim; English Dianas, modernly draped; and each and every one of them seem to have come out from De Maurier's drawing-rooms. Their creator never permits any frivolity of taste among them; no fantasticality of puff and flounce, nor eccentricity of color. They are almost invariably clothed in one color, "relieved"—Black's great millinery word—with one other. Black velvet is a favorite gown with him, "relieved" by a band of gold, a knot of ribbon, or row of self-colored beads at the throat. Sometimes it is a white gown, sometimes a gray—never any other color, and always "relieved" by a slender bit of brilliant contrasting one. The taste of these long-limbed nymphs becomes rather monotonous in time. We know the contents of all their armories and wardrobes; and we heartily approve of the heroine of "Sunrise" when she appears with a scarlet cap upon her dusky locks, even although, as usual, the dress is the same black velvet, always so numerously kept in stock by Mr. Black.

## Life in the Country.

Editor of the GRAPHIC:

Such luxury of laziness I never expected to indulge in, as I am enjoying here. We are most pleasantly situated in a spacious old farm-house, on one of Northern New England's most beautiful hills, overlooking some green, inviting meadows, dotted here and there with graceful elms, which trees grow to perfection, and in great abundance here. Beyond these meadows winds in and out the blue Connecticut, and still beyond, piled up in the distance, are one range of the White Mountains, New Hampshire's pride and glory. So you can imagine that the outlook is most grand and inspiring, for one never tires of looking at the grand old hills, cloud crowned, and ever changing.

Every moment is crowded full of delightful experiences and dreams. One comes so much nearer to Nature's heart in this wild, free life, entirely away from the conventionalities that chafe and hamper so often in the city life. Every thing here is real, one is impressed with this I think, as one sees Nature in her grandest habiliments, and not shaven and shorn of so much of her beauty.

I am forcibly reminded of what Geo. Eliot writes, in one of her letters to a friend, which is something like this: "In the country the days have broad spaces, and the very stillness seems to give a delightful roominess to the hours." The days are so long and still, and a peace seems upon everything, which is very restful. Our hammocks (with pillows of the aromatic fir-balsam (which grows in profusion hereabouts), are occupied most of the time, and surely for solid comfort this surpasses all else.

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## TARIFF AND PROTECTION.

The speech of Senator Dawes before the American Papermakers' association at Saratoga shows that it would have been a great mistake to have retired him in favor of Congressman Long, and compares most favorably with the speech the latter made at the Chautauqua assembly at Framingham on the same subject. Senator Dawes knows what he is talking about, and his opinions on tariff and protection are the result of careful study of the subject, while Congressman Long adopts what he supposes is the popular theory.

Senator Dawes ought to have great influence upon the legislation at Washington upon the question, and he will, if conscientious study of a subject and wisely formed opinions count for anything, which is not always the case, unfortunately, in either state or national legislatures.

Senator Dawes devoted the opening portion of his address to the need of a frequent revision of the tariff. The elements which determine the character of a tariff for protection are constantly changing and uncertain, necessitating corresponding changes in the laws themselves. For want of just such readjustment, he says, vast industries in this country, born of these recent changes in methods and character of production, have been, with all the labor and capital they have employed on our own soil, paralyzed and given over to foreign workshops and foreign labor. The new styles of woollen goods called worsteds are a notable instance of this. The tin plate manufacture is another.

One thing he recommends is free raw materials, and a policy that will lay down the raw material at the door of the manufacturer at the lowest possible cost.

Another feature of the revision he recommends, is the reduction of 50 per cent of the duty on sugar, with a bounty on all sugar raised in this country, which is about one-twelfth of the total amount consumed. This will reduce the revenue by some thirty million dollars, and be a great relief to the consumers.

The tobacco tax he also recommends shall be abolished, as he says it is a tax on producer and consumer alike, which encourages no industry, but handicaps and burdens all connected with it. The abolition would make a reduction of twenty-eight millions at once. Senator Dawes wisely says nothing about abolishing the whiskey tax, which some protectionists have foolishly recommended, and his speech would go far towards converting non-believers to the theory of protection. He shows a wise understanding of the needs of the country, and also illustrates the difference between a statesman and "a politician for revenue only."

"The greatest American Novel" that has appeared for many years" is what the Boston Traveller calls Edgar Fawcett's "The Confessions of Claud." The Traveller critic, however, need not be understood to mean that Mr. Fawcett is a great writer, or that his rather commonplace novels are really admired by the critic. It is only that he wants to disparage Mr. Howells by praising another writer, and Mr. Fawcett happens to have written at a convenient time. Judging from the Traveller's attitude Mr. Howells must have spoken slightly of that paper in some of his writings, and hence it can no longer see anything good in him.

The annual meeting of the National Civil Service Reform League will be held at the Channing church, Newport, R. I., Wednesday, August 3d. All members of the Newton C. S. R. association are entitled to participate in the meetings of the league, which are always noteworthy, because of the annual address of Mr. Curtis, and which will be particularly exciting this year because of the recent successful attack upon the system by our Massachusetts legislature, and because of the opposition to the New York commission displayed by Governor Hill.

The Republican State Central Committee have chosen Hon. Frank W. Rockwell of Pittsfield for president of the State Convention, and the date is fixed for September 28th, in Boston. Gen. Wm. F. Draper of Hopedale was elected chairman of the committee on resolutions and the meeting was very harmonious. There is little prospect of any very exciting contests this fall over nominations, as the program seems to be already decided upon.

The Ohio Republican Convention endorsed Senator Sherman as a presidential candidate in the most enthusiastic manner and the Blaine workers were defeated. It would have been strange enough if Ohio had not a candidate of its own to present, and Senator Sherman has shown what can be done by staying at home and attending to business. It is also reported that Mr.

Blaine has given up his European trip and will return at once.

The centennial celebration of the promulgation of the constitution of the United States, to be held at Philadelphia on the 15th, 16th and 17th of September next is attracting considerable attention. Letters have been sent to the governors of several states, requesting their co-operation, and it is hoped to illustrate by a processional display, the great material and industrial advance that has been made during these hundred years.

The latest issues in Tickner & Co's paper series are Howell's "Dr. Breen's Practice," a charming vacation story, with side lights on the woman question, and "The House at High Bridge," by Edgar Fawcett. These books are remarkable among cheap editions for the superiority of their letter press, and the originality and taste of their decorated covers. They form the best of good reading for vacation days.

The public bath houses seem to have been dropped for the year, but there is a reasonable hope that some will be provided before another summer.

## NOTES ABOUT TOWN.

## HENS AND SUCH.

A few months since we read some articles on the "Newton Jerk," and now send the benevolent author our compliments and best wishes. There is another Newton subject of larger calibre and deeper bore, to which the local mind is earnestly invited. It is, How to get rid of a neighbor's hens.

Deeply impressed with the lack of courtesy so prevalent in some portions of the Garden City, we have given the hen question a profound investigation. Having the freedom of the Newton Free Library, we have wandered through its mazes, consulting every authority bearing directly or indirectly upon the subject. The inquiry once started, we determined to make it exhaustive. To this end we have carefully perused and annotated a pile of authorities, secular and sacred, also Webster's Dictionary. The brief, incisive utterances of the latter seemed to have been written especially for Newton. Under the head of "trespass" he says verily:

2. To pass over the boundary line of another's land.

To enter unlawfully upon the land of another.

4. To commit any offence or do any act that injures or annoys another. (Anyone can see that he meant hens.)

Such, then, is trespass. In other words, when a neighbor invades your premises by means of his domestic animals he is, in the eye of the law, a trespasser.

We knew all this before, but the main question is—How to get rid of a neighbor's hens. Suppose I had a fine place (which I never did have, and am more than willing that others should have, for me to look at and enjoy), but suppose I had, and it was in high keeping, and kept up with great expense. My next neighbor keeps only hens and many of them. The only thing in common between us is that neither of us have fences. I send by my man a very polite request that he would "for the sake of humanity, for the love of the Virgin, for the amor de dios," shut up his hens! His reply is evasive and protane, just as I feared it would be. I will not quarrel with him but I will shoot his hens. Stay, my ardent friend! Wherefore so hot? Take thought and counsel.

A late eminent Congregational preacher.

Once said to a hen, "You're a beautiful creature."

And there, at once upon that,

The hen laid an egg in his hat.

And thus did the four-Ward Beecher.

These rare lines I quote from memory, and they embody wisdom.

Don't shoot or assail with missiles or set the dog on them. "If thine enemy hunger, feed him, and if he thirst, give him drink." Hens are always hungry. Feed them quietly round the barn with your own hens, and shake down a little straw in an empty barrel or some by-place. They will get wonted if well treated, and will lay as regularly for you as for the other man, and perhaps better, for hens love dearly to steal their nests, quite as well as you to steal their eggs. By this means you will get all the summer profit there is on keeping poultry without the first outlay or the trouble of housing them after frost comes. On a large scale we conceive this would be a good business. As it is, it is too good to last.

Try it. While it holds you will first, get some eggs at the lowest cost price. Second, you will keep your friend such as he is. Third, you will save having one more enemy such as he might be. Fourth, you will get rid of your neighbor's hens. If you do not, report to the GRAPHIC and we will tell you the next best thing to do.

THE GRAPHIC RISES TO EXPLAIN.

So neatly and tastily has the Associates Hall been fitted into the corner of Pelham and Center streets, that a stranger in Newton Center might well suppose that it had been born and brought up there. For one of its years and memories it looks remarkably well preserved. By aid of paint, cosmetics and numberless other "young" appliances, it puts on airs among the dingy "old relics of departed youth" that surround it on every side. One would scarcely believe that so many professors of yonder institution had aged and passed away since its birth. We like to see the old renew their youth and enter upon a new career of usefulness. Now that this hall belongs with all its admirable conveniences to the present generation and their heirs, executors, administrators and assigns, we will put in a claim for the GRAPHIC as having first suggested the idea of such a building. Under date of February 26, 1886, an article appeared in its columns regarding the well remembered evening of February 22, when so many were turned away from the attic over Mason Hall for lack of room. Attention was drawn therein to the necessity of an alligator in the Mason school house, or a "public hall on the ground floor, where we could invite all the people from adjacent villages to a concert, a course of lectures, or any general entertainment of a moral character." This was the first time that attention was publicly drawn to the subject in the manner above outlined and at present realized. The GRAPHIC modestly submits to correction if in error.

THE BIG CHESTNUT TREE OF NEWTON CENTRE.

A recent storm in the village of St. An-

thony has destroyed a chestnut-tree, which was the Patriarch of all France. It had reached a gigantic size, and with its numerous and enormous branches, made a grove of nearly one hundred feet square. The only square in the village was completely shaded by the dense foliage.

The legend in respect to it was that it had been planted about the middle of the 15th century by a monk of the order of St. Anthony, who then possessed at St. Anthony a monastery, the ruins of which are still seen.

If so, the tree was nearly 400 years old. —(Boston Transcript.)

This brings to the front again our Newton Centre giant—the Marshall S. Rice tree, on the eastern side of Summer street. Mr. Rice published the dimensions in the agricultural papers some years since, for the purpose of eliciting comparisons, claiming it as the largest chestnut-tree in eastern Massachusetts.

The area of its shade is one hundred feet (100) in diameter. It shows signs of old age, but not of decrepitude.

There is no legend connected with our tree, but we can make one, if any encouragement is given that our researches for the truth will be appreciated and credited.

## THE MAN IN THE MOON.

Wheelmen, as they flit noiselessly across the country-side, like barn swallows, dodging into lanes and out again, are made involuntary witnesses of scenes which the man-in-the-moon has hitherto had all to himself, and which give to his round face up there that peculiar smile as though he was "all of a tickle," at what he saw going on below.

Every rural village has a lover's lane, and every lane a pair of lovers, and every pair a momentous question, more or less ready for popping.

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At Kennebunkport, Me., July 20th, by Rev. Edward L. Clark, Edward Y. Hicks of Andover, and Elizabeth Clark of Newton.

At West Newton, July 21, by Rev. Jas. A. Barrett, Edward Fanning and Catherine A. Sweeney, both of Newton.

At Newton Highlands, July 2, by Rev. C. P. Mills, Harry Hargh and Mary E. Crossley, both of Boston.

At South Boston, June 15, by Rev. M. J. Welch, Daniel C. Shea of Newton, and Nellie A. Leary of Boston.

At South Boston, June 28th, by Rev. M. J. Welch, John J. Bowman of Newton and Kate Cummings of Boston.

At Worcester, July 26, by Rev. B. D. Marshall, William J. Graham and Katie F. MacDermott, both of Newton.

At Newton, July 27, by Rev. Henry A. Walsh, Michael J. Connery of Newton, and Julia L. Phillips of Providence, R. I.

## DIED.

At Nonantum, July 22, Albert, son of Nagra Bydor, aged 5 mos.

At Newton, July 23, Hannah, daughter of Patrick Kone, aged 1 yr. 5 mos. 9 ds.

At West Newton, July 23, Edward D. Hinckley, aged 30 yrs. 6 mos. 14 ds.

At Cold Spring City, July 23, Wm. P., son of Daniel Furdon, aged 5 mos. 23 ds.

At Cold Spring City, July 24, John B., son of Michael P. Dalley, aged 9 mos.

At Newton Upper Falls, July 25, Richard Boynton, 78 yrs. 8 mos.

At Nonantum, July 27, Thos. A., son of James Kelley, aged 3 mos.

At Nonantum, July 27, Joseph, son of Vergena Wood, aged 1 yr. 6 mos.

At Cold Spring City, July 27, Thomas, son of Thomas King, aged 5 mos. 12 ds.

At Newton, July 28, Josiah, infant son of Edward H. Hinchins and Alice Wadsworth Cutler, aged 5 weeks.

Services at Grace church chapel, Saturday, July 30, at 1:30 p. m.

## BUSINESS NOTICES.

WANTED.—A trained goat. Any one having such an animal can dispose of it by addressing X. Y., GRAPHIC office.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

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MESSANGER'S NOTICE.

MIDDLESEX, ss. WALTHAM, July 14, 1887.

Notice is hereby given that a Warrant in Insolvency, has this day issued from the Court of Insolvency, for said County of Middlesex, against the County of Middlesex, insolvent debtor. That the payment of any debts, and the delivery of any property belonging to said Insolvent Debtor to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law. That a meeting of the creditors of said Insolvent Debtor to prove their debts, and to choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at the Court of Insolvency to be holden at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the eighteenth day of August A. D. 1887, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

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PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Henry H. Linder, late of Newton, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Ephraim S. Hamblen and Samuel Hamblen who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them, the executors therein named, and that they may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on their bond pursuant to said will and statute.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of September next at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the NEWTON GRAPHIC, printed at Newton, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, George M. Brooks, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirteenth day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

J. H. TYLER, Register.

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## NEWTONVILLE.

—Officer Bosworth is taking his vacation.

—Mrs. E. E. Stiles has gone to Paris, Maine.

—Mrs. J. C. McIntyre leaves next week for Montreal.

—Mr. D. S. Harkins and W. C. Grant are at Hahns.

—Miss Woodman is sojourning at Natick for a short time.

—Mr. E. W. Sampson is spending his vacation at Lake George.

—Mr. Mitchell's house on Washington street has been leased.

—Mr. Jesse Johnson has returned from his visit to Marshfield.

—Mrs. Fred Taintor leaves soon for Duxbury, for a few weeks visit.

—Mr. A. A. Savage and family are enjoying a week at Scituate.

—Mr. G. W. Gould, Jr., and family have gone to the Maine coast.

—Mr. J. Frank Curtis and family are summering at Brant Rock.

—Charles E. Hutchinson is going to Chicago to spend a few weeks.

—Mr. Shaw has some very beautiful flowers in his new greenhouses.

—Mr. Smead's new house on Central avenue is rapidly nearing completion.

—Mr. W. G. Fellows left this week for Bristol, N. H., to visit his father.

—Miss Sweet of New York is visiting Mrs. Wm. Howe Mills on Austin street.

—Mrs. Captain Houghton and family are at Ipswich, Mass., for the summer.

—Edward Dexter is recovering from his serious illness, but is still unable to be out.

—Rev. E. E. Davidson preached last Sunday at Rev. T. W. Bishop's church in Salem.

—The Misses Katie and Annie M. Nelson have gone to Littleton, N. H., for the summer.

—Mrs. Wm. Rogers and family have gone to the Maine coast to remain through August.

—L. H. Cranitch has been improving the Cycle Hall building with a coat of dark paint.

—Mr. Wm. T. Vose and family left this week for Standish Shore, to spend the rest of the summer.

—Mrs. Charles Strout and daughter have gone to Bangor, Me., to remain a few weeks.

—Ex-Gov. Claflin has recovered from his illness and was out again on Tuesday the 26th.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Sullivan leave next Monday for a two weeks vacation at Bradford, N. H.

—Mr. John Grant and family started today (Friday) for the Provinces, to remain during August.

—Mr. Wm. Brown and family leave Saturday for New Hampshire, to be gone several weeks.

—Miss Minnie Mansfield is spending quite a lengthy vacation in different parts of New Hampshire.

—The Methodist church will only be open for evening services during the month of August.

—Mr. E. T. Trofiter has sold the house on Otis street, recently occupied by Chas. E. Adams, to Chas. Curtis.

—Mr. Edward Brooks started early Wednesday morning on a carriage ride to the western part of the state.

—Capt. Chisholm will sail for Hayti, on his barque Zulma, Saturday. His son accompanies him.

—Mr. McGurty, it is said, intends to build a block next to that built this spring on Washington street.

—Rev. William Dearborn of Hartford, Conn., has been here on a brief visit to his brother, H. P. Dearborn.

—H. K. Stiles and H. M. Chase have returned from Chautauqua, where they have been camping out.

—Mr. J. T. Pulsifer leaves Monday for a three weeks' trip through Maine. He will visit Portland, Lewiston and Poland.

—Mrs. R. A. White left on Monday for Plymouth, to remain through August, and Rev. Mr. White will join her next Monday.

—On Thursday, Mayor Kimball was the guest of Gov. Ames and party at Point Shirley, where a dinner at Taff's was one of the attractions.

—The march dedicated to Gethsemane Commandery, G. A. R., has been published by Oliver Ditson, and is reported as selling rapidly.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wood and son who have been stopping at Mrs. Cotton's, Newtonville avenue, are to move into Mr. Loomis's house on Lowell street, where they will keep house.

—Mr. F. D. Hall reports the blueberries very plentiful at Crow Hill, Me., where he is spending the summer. He, together with three others, picked a bushel on Monday.

—Mr. Frank Fleming, formerly a resident here, but now of Glendive, Montana, was married on Tuesday last to Miss Nellie Lowe of Glendive. Friends here were remembered with cards.

—Prof. A. M. Fairbairn of Oxford University, England, was in town on Sunday, the guest of Ex-Governor Claflin, and preached an excellent sermon in the morning at the Congregational church.

—Various rumors are in circulation as to the probable occupants of the new block, but nothing seems to be definitely settled as yet in regard to the stores. The Electric Light Company and Atwood & Weld will have offices in the second story.

—Miss Susan A. Dickinson, daughter of John W. Dickinson, secretary of the Massachusetts board of education, has gone to Cottage City to spend a month with friends. Miss Bessie King accompanied her.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Mitchell leave on Monday for Poland Springs, Me., accompanied by Dr. and Mrs. Smith of Hotel Hunnewell. They will take their teams by boat to Portland, and drive from there to Poland.

—A good many improvements are progressing about the large lot of land on the corner of Harvard and Cabot streets. Already there have been built some six or seven dwelling houses. The cellar is being dug for another to front on Harvard street, and plans are soon to be made for three or

four more. A new street has been opened parallel and to the east of Harvard street, and through this beginning at the main on Harvard street and extending along Cabot to the corner of Washington Park water pipes are to be laid.

—Rev. Mr. Nash, former pastor of the Universalist church, and his wife, were at Newtonville last week. It is expected that he will preach here on Sunday, Aug. 21.

—Ex-Mayor Smith of Philadelphia, with his wife and daughter, were the guests of Wm. H. Mendell, Esq., last week. During their stay they went to Wellesley, and accompanied by Mayor Kimball, visited all parts of Newton.

—The High School committee held a meeting Wednesday evening and voted to recommend the retention of Mr. Brown as military instructor, and also to hire three new teachers, whose names are not made public. Two of the new teachers are men.

—The Watertown party, assisted by some of the young people from the Newtonville party, gave an entertainment in the hall at No. 6 Falmouth last week, consisting of vocal and instrumental music, readings, etc. Games and a general good time after the entertainment took up the rest of the evening.

## WEST NEWTON.

—Officer Baker's wife is quite ill.

—Miss Nellie Warren is at Salem.

—L. C. Tolman is at South Acton.

—Mr. Isaac Snow's mother is very ill.

—Clinton Eddy has gone to Kennebunk.

—Mr. L. N. Tarbox is at Tarrytown, N. Y.

—Mr. Lawrence Bond is at Jefferson, N. H.

—Miss Mary Tiffany has gone to Jefferson, N. H.

—Fred. Bell is spending two or three days at Hampton.

—Mrs. W. F. Lawrence and daughter are at Narragansett Pier.

—Mr. J. Lowell Moore is going next Monday to Jefferson, N. H.

—Mr. L. C. Stanton and family are at the Ocean Side Hotel, Magnolia.

—Mr. Geo. H. Ingraham is at home from Rindge for a week or so.

—The city is going to put three or four street lights on Prince street.

—Miss H. S. Tolman has gone to Centre Sandwich, N. H.

—Paul Van Duzee spent last week at Hull with Lowell Moore.

—Mrs. H. A. Gould is at the Flume House, North Woodstock, N. H.

—City Marshall Hammond has been quite ill, but is now able to be out.

—Mr. Henry K. Barrison is spending the summer in the Yosemite Valley.

—Rev. H. J. Patrick is going to Pigeon Cove next week for a few days.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Rand and Miss Mary Elder are at Boothbay, Me.

—Mrs. Mary Coe is spending a few weeks with her daughter at Norwich, Conn.

—Mr. Lucius G. Pratt and wife have gone to Bar Harbor for a couple of weeks.

—Mrs. H. E. Burrage returns from Rindge, N. H., to-morrow (Saturday).

—Mrs. A. F. Luke spent last Sunday with her relatives at Beverly Farms.

—Miss Amy White has gone down East to spend several weeks at Bath and vicinity.

—Mr. Arthur White goes to-day (Friday) to Squirrel Island, to spend his vacation.

—About seventy-five colored people went to Sherborn Pond on a picnic Thursday.

—Mr. Fred A. Wales and family have returned from their vacation at Gloucester.

—Mr. Fisher Ames and family will spend August at the Goodnow House, Franconia, N. H.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Eddy with a part of their family, are at the old Eddy mansion, Middleboro.

—The permanent men in the fire department will have their uniforms on the 1st of September.

—Miss Alice M. Wight of Medfield has been spending this week with her relatives in this village.

—Prof. Cutting of Lake Forest University, Ill., is staying with his brother, Charles T. Cutting, Webster street.

—M. DeCaux, the French Consul at Boston, is staying at the house of James V. Tebbetts, Esq., Wintthrop street.

—Rev. Francis Tiffany will preach the following three Sundays, July 31, Aug. 7 and 14, at Burlington, Vt.

—Richard Conroy, the night clerk at the railroad station, returned last Saturday from his western vacation trip.

—Rev. Dr. S. R. Dennen has taken possession of his house on Watertown street, which he has greatly altered and improved.

—A large and brilliant assembly greeted Mr. and Mrs. John Avery on Thursday evening, the last of their reception nights.

—Three horse-car loads from this village went to the picnic of the Catholic Order of Forests, Lake Walden, Concord, on Wednesday.

—Mr. Conyers Button and wife of Germantown, and Mr. Priestley Button, a marine artist of London, England, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Flew.

—William Clancy, aged 57 years, was found in front of Mr. Levi Warren's residence Monday afternoon, overcome by the heat. He was removed to the Cottage Hospital, but died in a few hours.

—The Waltham and Newton Street Railroad has purchased from J. M. Jones' sons, West Troy, N. Y., a new open car, which was put on the track last week. It is a fine addition to the company's equipments.

—Mr. J. G. Butler moved on Thursday into the house on Hillsdale avenue, which he recently purchased of Mr. Wadsworth. The house has been undergoing repairs for the last three or four months, and is wonderfully improved.

—John Gannon lost a valuable horse on Tuesday afternoon. As the horse was travelling on Chestnut street, near the railroad crossing, it was suddenly taken with the colic. Dr. McLaughlin was summoned but the horse died in a few hours.

—The police court is having a summer vacation, only one case coming before it the past week. James Murphy and Frank O'Rourke were arrested for stealing \$19.80 from the house of Michael Mitchell, Newton Highlands, and both were found guilty.

They were fined \$10 and costs and sentenced to the house of correction to work it out.

—Miss Metcalf entertained seventeen children from the Children's Mission and Warren street chapel on Tuesday afternoon. From the bright faces that returned to the city, one would judge that the little ones had a very pleasant time. They ate their lunch in the grove back of Mr. Marshall Wood's house. Miss Metcalf was assisted by Miss Lucy Allen.

—The greatest improvement being made by the city in this village is the widening, straightening and levelling of River street, between Waltham and Cherry streets. All the residents have given the required strip of land, in some cases quite large pieces, and many fine trees have had to be sacrificed, but the improvement will more than repay the residents for the loss of land and trees.

—The death of Mr. Edward D. Hinckley, last Saturday, was not entirely unexpected, as he has been ill for some time of consumption, but it caused great sorrow among a large circle of friends. He was 50 years of age, and leaves a wife and four children to mourn his loss. Although of a retiring nature, Mr. Hinckley had many warm friends, who loved and respected him for his upright character and many sterling qualities. He has lived in Newton most of his married life, and for many years was clerk of the Unitarian church, in which society he was always a faithful and useful member. The funeral services were held at his late residence on Tuesday, Rev. Francis Tiffany officiating. He was an intimate friend of the deceased, and in his remarks spoke very feelingly of his life and character. The burial was in the Newton Cemetery.

## AUBURNDALE.

—Mr. W. K. Chandler is in Fitchburg, Mass.

—Mr. Albert Plummer and family have returned home.

—Miss A. M. Kittridge is at Elmwood Hall, Saratoga.

—Prof. Norton's new house is to be Queen Anne style.

—Miss E. B. Parker is visiting friends at the Oregon at Hull.

—Mr. Charles Darling and wife spent a few days at Rutland, Mass.

—Mrs. Parker and Miss Evelyn Parker have gone to Nova Scotia.

—City Almoner Nathan Mosman is away on a two week's vacation.

—Rev. Samuel W. Dike is spending a few days in Thompsonville, Conn.

—Mrs. F. J. Ballard and Miss Mabel Ballard are at Beachmont, Revere.

—Mrs. K. D. Spalding and Miss Helen Stewart are at Haverhill, N. H.

—Rev. W. R. Newhall and wife will spend a month in travelling in the West.

—Mrs. A. G. Brown and Master Ben return this week from Cataumet, Mass.

—Mrs. W. I. Goodrich has returned from a short visit to South Hanover, Mass.

—Rev. Mr. Pike will preach at the Methodist church on Sunday, July 31st.

—Mr. R. A. Ballou sailed for Europe Thursday, on the Catalonia, from Boston.

—George W. Hardy and party are expected to arrive from Europe Sunday morning.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Keyes and Miss Keyes of Foxboro, are visiting Mr. E. W. Keyes.

—Mr. Charles Waite and family go this week to Long Island, and thence to Saratoga.

—Mr. Charles H. Sprague and family have returned from their visit to the seashore.

—Charles Cole who was injured while playing ball Fourth of July, was out for the first time Tuesday.

—The Boston & Albany company are to light the depot in this village by electricity after next week.

—L. L. Cook who has been clerk in V. A. Plate's store, has resigned and gone into business in Boston.

—Walter E. Pierce has sold to Harry T. Knight, for \$4,000, 9,000 feet of land and buildings on Lexington street.

—Mrs. Lyman Snow is at Cotuit, Mass. Mr. Snow will travel for a few weeks, spending Sunday at Saratoga.

—Mr. J. H. Robinson and family of Brockton have taken Mr. Blackstone's house on Lexington street for the season.

—The climax of the improvements on Hancock street is the placing of curbstones along the sidewalk in front of Mr. C. C. Burr's residence.

—Miss Susie C. Aiken will open a Kindergarten school the second week of September. She has secured rooms in Mr. Kendall's house.

—A new entrance to the vestry of the Congregational church is being built on the north side. A door is being made leading into the cellar on the opposite side.

—City Engineer Noyes has returned from his trip through Pullman, Chicago and other large cities, where he has thoroughly investigated the systems of sewerage.

—Miss Elizabeth P. Gordon, secretary of the Mass. W. C. T. U., was present through the session of the N. E. Assembly at Framham.

—The summer cottage of Mr. Edward L. Pickard at Harpswell, Maine, is to be opened this week. All the members of the family will spend a portion of their vacation there.

—Miss Cora Stewart has issued invitations to about one hundred of her friends for an "at home" next Wednesday evening. Miss Francis Beaman and Miss Margaret Dodge will receive with her.

—"Suburban tickets" which have been issued for Munkacsy's great picture, "Christ Before Pilate," and which admit the bearer for half price, may be obtained free at the depot or the post office.

—Mr. B. C. Rising and family of Boston; Mrs. E. L. Edmunds and Mr. Waldo Edmunds of Brookline; Mr. C. F. Williams of Boston, and Capt. B. C. Baker of Middleboro, are the guests of Mr. W. W. Briggs of Melrose street for the season.

—The members of the Young Ladies' club of 60's held their regular meeting at Miss Annie Plummer's home on July 26. Miss Plummer and Fred. Plummer will spend the remainder of the summer at Crosses Island, Essex, Mass.

—J. P. B. Fiske and Arthur Plummer are on a trip to New York, investigating the Hudson and Coney Island, and studying

the architecture of the Brooklyn Bridge. They will "do" New York City in warm weather.

—W. P. Briggs and Miss Gertrude Briggs start on Saturday for a sailing trip of three weeks in the yacht "Mabel." They will explore the coast of Maine, making Bar Harbor their headquarters.

—Mrs. Susan Reed Rowland, mother of the late Rev. W. S. Howland, who died suddenly here a few months ago, died at Jaffa in Ceylon last Saturday. She had been over forty years a missionary.

—It is reported that Prof. Bragdon is making arrangements so that a number of his pupils for the coming year may board in Boston. He is also trying to secure for the Lasell students the privilege of attending the several courses of lectures given before Boston University.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Haskins celebrated the twenty-fifth anniversary of their wedding at their pleasant home on Central street last Saturday evening. The occasion was one for a delightful family reunion, and during the evening neighbors and friends dropped in to offer congratulations. Mr. and Mrs. Haskins were in receipt of many handsome and useful presents.

—"Oak Ridge" on Seminary avenue, is one of the most picturesque places in Auburn, and it is not to be wondered at that so many ladies and gentlemen like to spend the summer there. Mrs. T. W. Fisher has with her now, filling her own house and that belonging to Mr. Budd opposite, some twenty or thirty persons from Boston and vicinity and New York. Among others there are Mr. and Mrs. Denison, Newbury street, Boston, Mr. Abner Tower and family of Boston, Mr. John A. Anderson and family of Farley, Harvey & Co., Boston, Mr. and Miss Towne, Boston, Mr. C. F. Crowell, Boston, Mr. Henry Churchill, Howland & Churchill, Boston, Mr. B. P. R. Sherman, Boston, Mr. Frank Ingraham of Adams & Ingraham, Boston, Mrs. Webster, Miss Webster and Mr. Webster of New York, Miss Charlotte Todd, Charlestown, Miss Sarah Tufts, Roxbury, Miss Thompson and Miss Chesley of Boston and Miss Boland of Jamaica Plains. Altogether it is a very pleasant family which is attracted by the many beauties of nature at the "Ridge."

## REV. MR. LAMB'S VOYAGE.

Rev. W. A. Lamb writing to a friend from on board the Bothnia, on the "broad Atlantic" gives the following amusing account of life on the ocean wave:

We left Boston under flying colors. The colors flying from the dock in the hands of friends were sweat moistened. How we pitied that crowd broiling on the sunny side of the wharf. We were headed from a Turkish bath out into cool, bracing sea breezes where humanity could enjoy the appetite of a shark. We let the pilot-off, passed "The Light" all right and braced up for "The Old Country." (This was about the only thing we passed all right for several days.) Dinner coming at six, we, 120 of us, went down to dine.

Usually, dining is a process wherein the body receives benefit. In this instance it proved to be a process wherein the fishes had a picnic. For, soon after dinner the steamer began to roll, and her staterooms being still full of Boston heat, the meal we had eaten got antic, came up and went forth. The English stewardess "never saw so many seas." I never saw such a rising meal. It was light enough for the most dyspeptic. My party of five thought the air was laden with ipecac and lobelia. Well we Eurooped that night, the next day and night, until I began to believe that my digestive organs had moved out and an enterprising biot-shop had moved in. A man does not know what there is in him until he has been up and down sea-sick. Before leaving home a person unacquainted with the mode of getting to Europe asked, "Do you intend to travel by rail?" I find that land lubbers when on the ocean do travel a great deal by rail. So it is a good plan to get the captain of your ship to assign you a place at the rail, where you can bow and pay tribute to Neptune without being molested by others. Scientists say that there is a little fish that can turn its stomach inside out and go right on about its duties, when it gets dyspeptic.

The time has now arrived in the history of the world when a device should be invented to do this for man. A fellow might not look as well after such an operation as before, but what does an "open-hearted man" care for looks, so long as he feels well and can digest his "vitals."

Now if this is deemed impracticable one thing remains, and that is the freezing process. Let European travelers be frozen and transported across the ocean in a comatose state. A man could select his city and hotel, be ticketed, packed away and be thawed out on arriving at the end of his journey. Any who objected to such a cold experience and yet desired to cross the Atlantic asleep, might secure my services as a preacher and be made unconscious by one of my sermons. I have seen many a brain yield to my efforts.

It is now the fourth day out, and a change is coming. The weather is decidedly cooler. Heavy under clothing is got out. Spouting whales are seen in the distance, and we have left off spouting. Already we feel that we must be related to the sharks under the ship, so great is the gnawing for food in our stomachs.

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## THE DANDELION'S DREAM.

A dandelion dreamed the sun  
Above the hills was peeping  
And, as she rose each day at dawn,  
It roused her from her sleeping.

Above her, in the vaulted sky,  
She saw the heaven teeming  
With constellations numberless  
Of stars, all brightly gleaming.

And, as she gazed, a longing filled  
Her soul to overflowing,  
That she some day might float away  
And 'mid the stars be glowing.

She asked the bees if they could tell  
Of paths to starland leading,  
They answered not a single word  
To all her eager pleading.

But, yearning yet, she doffed her robes  
For garments softer, whiter,  
And, hoping much, she grew each day  
Still lighter and lighter.

At last there came a buoyant breeze,  
From off the hills descending,  
A-kissing flowers and rippling lakes  
And all the grasses bending.

She greeted it with plaint and prayer—  
"Oh, on your pinions bear me  
To heaven, that there the Queen of Night  
May like a star-gem wear me."

Lo, by the strong and willing breeze,  
At last, at last she's lifted  
And out of the vale and o'er the hill  
And out of sight she drifted.

And whether now, her wish fulfilled,  
She's with the stars, I know not,  
I only know that she is dead and  
With former beauty glow not.

—JAMES GEDDES, in Detroit Free Press.

## AUGUST.

August, month when Summer lies  
Sleeping under sapphire skies:  
Open all the windows wide,  
Drink the orchard's fragrant tide,  
Breathe of grass at morning morn,  
Through the leafy vistas blown,  
Hear the clinking of the scythe  
Sound mellifluous and blithe,  
August, month when everywhere  
Music floats upon the air  
From the harp of minstrel gales  
Playing down the hills and dales:  
August, month when sleepy cows  
Seek the shade of spreading boughs  
Where the robin quires his head  
Contemplating cherries red:  
August, month of twilight when  
Day half goes, and comes again:  
August day as guards who keep  
Watch while Summer lies asleep.  
—Frank Dempster Sherman, in St. Nicholas for August.

## FOOT-PRINTS.

## I.

East Hampton in November; Nature and I enjoying a tete-a-tete; "did" the village; washed in the sea in every mood; daubed, sketched, smeared and spattered until there was not a stick or stone in the place that had not found its way into my sketch book.

On the last day of my stay I sauntered down to the beach with the lazy gait of a man who has done his duty; my camp-stool under my arm, my box of tools in my hand—not that I set out with any distinct purpose of using the same, for I had exhausted the sea and my own capacity, but simply for the sake of companionship. I confess I was growing a trifle lonesome; Nature sometimes bored me.

As I strolled along reflecting with satisfaction that I would leave the field with a clear conscience and empty paint-tubes, a clump of beach-grass, growing in a somewhat peculiar way, struck my fancy, and I stopped to sketch it. I unfolded my little camp-stool and set it down on the hard level sand. The tide was low, but it stood unevenly, and glancing down to ascertain the cause, I saw that one leg tilted down into a foot-print, and looking ahead I saw that the foot-prints went on and on, zigzag, along the beach, disappearing in the distance, narrow, dainty foot-prints—a woman's! The feelings of Robinson Crusoe rushed over me as I gazed. Remember that I had been for two months in this lonely place without another human soul with which to commune except my land-lady, and our communings were of a sort of nature; and here were delicate prints of a personality that might lead to who knows what delightful consequence. Beach-grass was nothing to this; and gathering up my baggage I prepared to follow the trail.

I am of a somewhat philosophic turn of mind, and as I walked along I evolved a train of induction that would have startled Darwin himself. In the first place, I measured with my eye the length of the slender foot-prints; and calculating by the correct proportions that the foot should be as long as the distance from the wrist to the elbow, the maker of them must be, I reckoned, about five feet five; a good height for a woman. That it was a woman I knew by the fringe-like marks where here and there the long dress made its delicate trail. Then she must be slender, for such a narrow foot to support her weight; besides, the foot-marks were lightly pressed into the sand. They were rather far apart; she took longish steps for a woman, and nothing gives more grace to a walk to my mind; I hate these tottering, tripping women! The distance between each two of the prints was of equal length; that indicated alertness and the poise of elastic strength, for a dreamy woman would have walked all over the beach, and a weak woman would have taken uneven steps. All along beside the foot-prints were other marks, which, after due inspection, I knew to be punctured with the end of an umbrella or parasol. Good! The unknown female was not over-careful of her complexion; this argued a commendable absence of vanity, and a corresponding presence of good sense. The imprint of the heel was, I regret to say, exceedingly small and more sharply cut into the sand than the toe, making the unmistakable intaglio of a French heel, O. E. D., it was a damsel of civilization, modish in attire, possibly somewhat of a slave to fashion.

At one place the trail turned in to the white glistening beach above high-water mark, and there I found impressions in the sand as clear as if chiseled in stone; soft sand as clear of a book, small—a novel? the sketchy lines of a garment, and the line where the umbrella had lain, each long fold of the silk (cotton would have made a less smooth impression) reproduced perfectly, and the marks at the handle

where fingers had clutched it—long, fine marks; a delicate hand. From this I knew that she had stooped here, her dress brushing the sand as she did so, to put down her book and parasol; she did not throw them down; she must be gentle; and then she had stood there and gazed out at the sea for a long time. How did I know this? From the two foot-prints side by side, pointing seaward and deeply sunk in the sand. She must be thoughtful, a little sad, which always follows. And here she had left a wilted bunch of asters and golden-rod, which she must have plucked in the fields coming through; to wander in the fields, to pick flowers as you go, are not these evidences of refinement and a beauty-loving nature? I could not help breathing a hope that she was neither old nor plain. I took up the bouquet; it was limp, but showed every indication of having been recently plucked—she could not be far away! In my enthusiasm I darted forward, and started back as if I had been about to step over a precipice! There, written out on the sand in clear, bold letters, was a name, "Adelaide." (Aha! only a young person would have been guilty of this.)

So now, on circumstantial evidence, I had before me a picture of a being that I had never seen, and of whose existence I had not known until this day. I could almost imagine that "Adelaide" walked before me, pressing foot-prints in the sand, a tall, slender girl, with graceful walk, stylishly dressed, and swinging a dainty, furled umbrella, but alas! with her back always turned to me. Was she pretty? That she was strong, sensible, gentle, thoughtful and refined, I had guessed; but the paramount question still remained unanswered—was she pretty?

I had almost reached Amagansett when lo! a speck in the landscape! Was it a bird with a scarlet head, or a dog with a red ribbon on his neck, or—a young lady with a red wing in her hat? A young lady, by Jove!

She reclined on the beach, propping her head on a pillow of sand; as I neared her I saw an umbrella and a book at her side. Adelaide!

What should I do? Pass her, and thus turn my back on her foot-prints forever, perhaps? Besides placing myself in the unpleasant position of the starrer stared at. I slackened my pace, and politely refrained from gazing too rudely until I almost reached her, when I turned to have a full look at her face. What was my disappointment to see that the jaunty sailor hat with its scarlet wing was tipped over that face, obscuring it completely! In my chagrin I stopped short. An insane desire seized me to go up and snatch off that hat and unmask the face beneath at whatever cost; but this quickly subsided into the more wary plan of creeping up, gently taking the obnoxious brim between my thumb and forefinger and tilting it up the slightest degree in the world, just enough to catch a glimpse of the face, for a glimpse was all I wanted. Of course she was asleep and no one would be the wiser (except myself) and nothing could be more easily done. I had almost nerved myself up to the deed and had taken a step or two—when horrors! my knees almost knocked together at a sudden thought. What if she should be wide awake, staring wide awake under the hat; and what if, when I plucked it off, I should meet two round glaring eyes fixed and up-turned; would I not shrivel up on the spot? There was something almost awful in the thought of those two staring, glaring eyes in ambush under the hat. I am not a coward, but I confess I quailed before the mere idea of the situation.

After contemplating such a desperate onslaught, it seemed quite tame and civil, quite delicate and unobtrusive and decent when I finally unfurled my camp-stool, sat down quietly and sketched her—first that is what I did! I unhooked my little jug of fresh water, plunged my brush in, dashed at my paint-box and washed her in gray and scarlet. But when I had finished a sudden panic seized me; what if she should wake up suddenly and come out from under the hat and turn a pair of snapping eyes on me? I bundled my traps into the box, caught up my stool and fairly fled along the beach, retreating my foot-prints—and hers; looking back guiltily over my shoulder and every now and then as I stumbled on, and reflecting ruefully that though I had seen her in the flesh I knew no more than I did before. Was she pretty?

## II.

At the exhibition; throngs of people; walking about leisurely among them—his hands clasped behind him, feigning to examine the pictures with profound interest and trying to look like one of the crowd of common-place young men who had not a picture accepted and hang on the line—was your humble servant. And yet I always brought up in front of it, caught myself staring at it, and left it rapidly in trepidation lest some one should spot me as the artist and surmise that this was my first picture in the Academy.

I was waiting round for Harry Heath. What sport Harry and I had in our studio over that picture! We always spoke of it as "Adelaide," and we made a hundred guesses at what sort of actress was under the sailor hat. I swore she was beautiful; Harry declared she was a vision of creature who could have scorched me with one glance.

"And to think I shall never know!" I used to say mournfully.

"A mighty lucky thing!" this skeptic would cry. "Never unveil your ideal, my boy."

But Harry was out of town and had not heard that "Adelaide" had been accepted and hung on the line. He was to meet me here to-night, and I was fumbling with impatience for the moment to come when I should take him by the arm and lead him up before it with a wave of the hand.

Here I was again, hovering up to the same corner where the picture hung. I had not attracted as much attention as I thought its merits warranted, and now found the corner occupied by only two people—a lady and a gentleman. The latter, who had evidently no use for art, was staring about the room through his glasses in a stupid sort of way (his face seemed strangely familiar); but the lady was bending forward intently with her eyes fairly glued to the picture, in a manner that made me ready to crow with delight.

I was just noting certain points about her girlish figure, for of course her back was turned and I could not see her face—noting, for instance, that she was tallish, five feet five or so, slender and graceful, with a certain piquancy about her stylish dress—and wondering whether she was pretty, when a messenger stepped up.

"Doctor," he said, tapping the stupid in glasses on the shoulder, "doctor you are wanted; a case of life or death!"

"All right," responded he of the glasses, and turning to the rapt lady, "Adelaide," he murmured, "I am called out on an important case. Don't move from this place until I return, so that I shall know where to find you!"

He was pushing past me when I caught his hand.

"Why, Patterson, how are you?" I cried, for I remembered in a flash that he had been a class-mate in college. I never knew him well, and this was merely a stroke of diplomacy on my part. "Can I do anything for you—or—I glanced toward the still averted figure.

"Oh, Sturgiss!" he said hurriedly. "Thanks—yes—introduce yourself—do—case of life or death, you know."

The next instant he was swallowed up in the crowd.

By her motionless attitude and fixed glance I saw at once that the lady had not heard a word that had passed, and was quite unconscious of her escort's departure. I stepped to her side, but before I could open my lips she was saying murmuringly: "I never heard of anything so queer in all my life, Augustus! The beach down at Hampton, don't you see? I know it's that beach though it's not very well painted; and—oh dear! it can't be, but—"

She craned her neck and took a closer view; "yes, I could swear to it! I ought to know my own clothes. The red wing, don't you know, and the gray dress with the pleats, Augustus! And that book and umbrella! Now if I could only lift up the hat and peep under I would know in a minute whether it were I or not—"

"Madam!" I said.

She turned round on me swiftly, and I braced myself to be "scorched with one glance"—but if Harry could only have seen that pretty, frightened young face!

I did not tell her my name I was so taken up with wondering what hers was (could it be Mrs. Augustus?), but I explained the situation as coherently as I could, and I asked civilly if there was anything I could do.

"Why, I've got to stay here by this picture, I suppose," she said in a troubled voice; "but I am afraid to be left alone!" she gave me a searching glance which I bore gravely, and then asked me if I would "mind waiting" a few minutes; she was quite sure he would not leave her long.

Mind waiting! I wouldn't have minded waiting an eternity with her—but I didn't tell her so. I smiled and said something moderate and civil, and asked her how she liked the picture.

"Oh, I suppose you heard what I was saying about this one," she said blushing; "but it is so strange. Do you know, I actually thought I recognized myself in it!"

"Indeed!" I glanced curiously at the picture as though I saw it for the first time. "It's not a bad painting, by the way."

"No, not very," she assented, "but," pointing with her catalogue, "that beach is as familiar to me! and those dunes, and as for that hat with the red wings in it, and the gray dress—why, I know they're mine!"

And yet you never posed for the picture," I asked.

"Dear me, no! Do you think I'd pose like that?"

"Then some one must have trespassed when you were asleep," I suggested.

"Well, it was very impertinent of him," she said decidedly, very decidedly. "I trembled and thought of Harry."

"Oh, these artists have no conscience," I laughed; "they think the world was made for them."

She stepped up close to the picture and looked in the corner.

"Sturgiss," she said, "C. L. Sturgiss," while I started and grew pale and fiery in one moment, and felt that "Sturgiss" must be branded on my forehead. "I don't like the sound of it—Sturgiss—Sturgiss—I can just imagine him—little nipping man in a big, flapping hat; it makes me so nervous to think of his fussing about me that day!"

I asked you frankly, could I tell her at this moment that I was the guilty person? No; I must bias her a little in poor Sturgiss's favor first. I would make a grand coup.

"Ah! did you say Sturgiss?" I cried. "Why, Charlie Sturgiss, yes, yes. Why, Charlie's a great crony of mine—know him well!"

"Beg pardon if I have said anything rude about your friend," she said punctiliously, not at all as if she was sorry, though. "But don't you think yourself it was a little—just a little—well, presuming of him?"

I pulled my mustache and looked critical. "Well, I grant you that it was hardly the fair thing in Charlie, hardly above board and all that, you know," I said with candor; "but you must consider all the circumstances, the informality of the place and the unconventionality of the situation and the temptation, as you might say."

I caught my breath for fear I had gone too far, but she gave me a quick bird-glance, that was not discouraging, and I went on cautiously:

"If you knew Sturgiss, the last thing you would accuse him of would be impertinence. He's not much on etiquette and form and all that sort of thing, but he's not a boor, and he—reverses the fair sex."

"True," she said thoughtfully, "one must make a great many allowances for artists, I know."

"Why, he told me himself," I said laughingly, "that he had half a mind to lift up that aggravating hat and see what was under it."

"No!" she cried; for a moment she looked half angry, and then her whole face dimpled with smiles. "I actually believe the villain interests me."

"But why—" she asked after a thoughtful moment, "why did he go away from Hampton?"

"Funds gave out," I explained simply; "these sordid considerations must weigh even with artists, and they are apt to carry the day even with romance in the opposite scale. When I asked Charlie how he could come away and leave those foot-prints behind, he said he didn't leave them behind, he brought them away on his heart. Rather pretty, I thought."

My listener's flattered eyes lighted up with a smile, and I scored another for Sturgiss.

"Describe him!" she said imperatively. "Hah!" I was hardly prepared for this, but I plunged in boldly: "neither tall nor short—about my height, I should say; not thin, and yet not adipose; a fellow of about my own build; neither blonde nor brunette, coloring middling, about the tone of mine; neither young nor old, handsome nor ugly, clever nor stupid, good nor bad."

"I should like to meet him," she said dreamily, with her smiling eyes on the picture.

Now was the time—to strike while the iron was hot! To discover my identity to her through the medium of a graceful speech, lead her on by gentle degrees, captivating her interest and making sure of her approval at every step, and finally launch my climax at her with the mildness of a puff of smoke, which should envelop us both in a cloud of romance. But fate took the denouement out of my hands.

Stepping up behind me Harry Heath clapped a hand on my shoulder and cried out heartily, gazing past me: "Well, if there isn't Adelaide! How did she get in?" And then grasping me by the hand, "Sturgiss, my dear fellow, let me congratulate you; you deserve your luck; 'Adelaide's' a grand success; she's the prettiest thing I ever saw, by Jove!"

"Heath!" I said, desperately pressing his hand in a vice, "another time. This lady—"

Heath saw for the first time that he was looking at the shoulder of a lady, who turned and met his glance with eyes sparkling with anger. I suppose Harry had never had a woman look at him like that before; he assured me afterward that he should never care to repeat the experience.

I managed to bustle him off in some way or other, and then—for a moment I wished myself in Jericho, anywhere, rather than in this corner, standing like a culprit with my eyes on the toes of my shoes, and wondering how all this was going to end. Suddenly the prettiest laugh bubbled out, and looking up I saw that Adelaide was holding her catalogue up to her face, while her eyes laughed over the top. I burst into a nervous giggle, and together we had a merry chorus there in the corner. It was simply delicious! I was just drawing in a long breath for another outburst, when I saw a pair of confounded glasses coming in at the door and peering about over the heads of the crowd. My spirits fell like a wet feather. Until that instant I had forgotten the very existence of this creature—Augustus.

"Oh! there is your—ah," I began; I could not say "husband," and finished the sentence internally with an added epithet or so.

"Brother!" she completed, turning a pair of laughing eyes on me.

Heath was best man. When I asked him to fill this solemn office he grasped my hand and said warmly:

"Sturgiss, my dear fellow, I congratulate you; you deserve your luck. 'Adelaide's' a grand success; she's the prettiest thing I ever saw. So the tables are turned, are they? It's you who are accepted and hung on the line, my boy."—[W. L. FALCONER, in Demorest's Magazine.]

## WESTERN TASTE AND ENTERPRISE.

## HOW KANSAS IMPRESSES A TRAVELER FROM NEWTON.

Editor of the GRAPHIC:

Having lately arrived at Hutchinson, one of the numerous enterprising and energetic cities of the far West, and being very much impressed with its wonderful progress and public improvements, I feel constrained to write a word in its favor, and also to enlighten my friends, who have an idea that the West is full of everything but aesthetic tastes and education. As our alights from the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe train at their depot on Main street, the feeling that he is in a metropolitan western city takes possession of him directly. Hundreds of people are busy with baggage, bidding farewell and welcoming friends, and looking idly on; huge drays stand in readiness to transport freight of any kind to any desired location, and handsome hacks, with splendid horses invite you to ride. Leaving this part of the city and entering the main business thoroughfare on foot, one cannot avoid being jostled by the hurrying throng, who seem to have something to do as well as the residents of the great cities by the lakes, and if you ride, it requires skill to keep clear from the multitude of hubs belonging to other vehicles, rushing up and down, some laden with merchandise and others with people bent on business, pleasure and sight-seeing. One will be astonished with the air of thrift that prevails on all sides.

A handsome three story opera house, with a seating capacity of nearly a thousand people attracts considerable attention, and on the opposite corner a three story stone bank and Odd Fellows' building. Turning to the left at this corner a beautiful avenue with six rows of shade trees meets the view, and in time when age has been attained, this avenue will compete for laurels with the most noted boulevards of the West. Extending one's peregrinations to and through the fashionable residence streets, some of the most noted and beautiful homes in Kansas will be seen. Handsome houses, broad lawns and an abundance of shrubbery are features observable to casual passers-by, while a visit to the interior of these houses would astonish my eastern friends and acquaintances. There is a building and improvement association, and when the people of this city want anything that is in the market they usually win, no matter what the opposition, for

they all pull together harmoniously and vigorously. The securing the State Reformatory and raising \$25,000 in three days for that purpose, is evidence of the enterprise here. An hotel to cost \$100,000.00 that they are just beginning is further proof. This hotel will be welcomed by the public generally. The people gave \$10,000 to this enterprise, and it was raised so easily that no doubt the builder was sorry that he did not ask for more. They have the finest main business street in the State. It is wide and level and kept in perfect order, is oiled so that the water divides in the center and runs off along curbing, the major part of which cannot be excelled in any city.

There are gas works and electric lights. Many of the residents avail themselves of this mode of illuminating home and business places. The city is also lighted by the electric spark, and this sun of mar's invention turns night into day. Everything from the start seems to prosper. The population reaches ten thousand souls, and is predicted that in five years will reach forty thousand. People are realizing that there is a grand future in store for this, the "Queen City of the Arkansas Valley."

FRANK H. LANE.

## Newton People in Chicago.

The Chicago papers devote a good deal of space to the prominent educators now in that city, and they all seem to admire President W. E. Sheldon particularly. The Mail says: "Mr. Sheldon, the Boston man, seems a man peculiarly well qualified to preside over a convention of pedagogues. He has a fund of wit and humor that is inexhaustible, and has the Vermont flavor, for Sheldon was born in Vermont."

Again it tells this: "It was fun for President Sheldon while the five-minute speeches were going on. One of the big-bearded professors named Miller began his remarks by saying he once heard a lecturer describe a rhinoceros. 'Ladies and gentlemen,' the lecturer began, 'when you want to understand all about this awful animal you must keep your eyes on the speaker.'"

"A word to the wise is sufficient," shouted Mr. Sheldon. The audience was convulsed with laughter."

The Tribune says of him:—"President Sheldon is one of the most popular presiding officers the National Association has had. A casual acquaintance might easily mistake him at first glance for Judge Hoffman, one of Chicago's new circuit judges, though his face is browner and he is a heavier man. The resemblance consists largely in the gray hair and side whiskers. President Sheldon is a genial fellow with the habit of making himself popular by paying a high compliment to every speaker he introduces. He looks more like a jolly, wedded board of trade church deacon than a schoolmaster, but this has probably been acquired since he left active school work 10 years ago and became connected with the Journal of Education. Before that time he was principal of the Boston Grammar School and of the Newton High School. For nearly 20 years he was secretary of the National Association, and was last year elected president."

Here is another of its descriptive paragraphs:—"Hon. J. W. Dickinson is secretary of the Massachusetts Board of Education, which position he has occupied for six or seven years. He looks and talks like a man who would be thoroughly at home in the Summer School of Philosophy. He is tall and well made, with gray mutton-chop whiskers. He stands very high as an educator, and his annual reports on the condition of the Massachusetts schools are regarded as high authorities on school matters."

Christian Endeavor Convention at Saratoga.

Editor of the GRAPHIC:

Permit me, through your columns, to state a few facts in regard to the growth of the societies of Christian Endeavor, as shown by the reports given at the late convention. The societies, which a year ago numbered 850, have grown to 2,314 with a membership of 50,000 to 100,000 within a year. New York state has quadrupled its strength, and increased from 3,000 to over 12,000. New Jersey has increased threefold and Connecticut and Massachusetts have doubled their strength. Massachusetts was represented at the convention by 410 delegates, Connecticut by 200, other states sending their quota, 2,000 delegates being in attendance. An early prayer meeting was held attended by 1,200 young people, and the attendance during the day was large, 2,500 being at some of the meetings. Fourteen thousand associate members have joined the church during the year, and all reports showed progress along the line. The convention was said to be the largest and most enthusiastic religious gathering ever held in Saratoga.

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## Myth of The Idle Graduate.

"Goethe says that it is only needful to repeat a thing often enough and everybody will end by believing it," writes Colonel Higginson in Harper's Bazar. "There are always growing up certain myths about our public-school system, which proceeded originally from persons of small experience, and have been taken up and repeated by other persons of still less, so that now they are confidently believed by large numbers of persons. One of these is what may be called the myth of the idle graduate—the tradition, namely, that the community is full of useless persons, unable to earn a living or to do any service in the world, who are high-school graduates, and who, but for that fact, would be industrious, self-respecting, and serviceable. Each person who repeats and enlarges this myth claims to know some one or more persons, who, even after a high-school course, are inefficient, incapable, or silly. From this it is an easy step to infer that the high school has made this unsatisfactory person what he or she is; and it is another easy inference to point out that probably all the classmates of this unfortunate exemplar are as bad or possibly worse.

Like the traveller who, generalizing from his first landlord and landlady, wrote down in his diary that all the men in Alsace squinted and all the women were red-haired, so these reasoners assume that the whole high-school system of the nation is a failure, because of the undeniable fact that Michael Smith, even after going through the whole course prescribed by that institution, appears to be very nearly as foolish and impracticable as he was before.

It may be said, possibly, in behalf of the high-school system, that there are certain things which neither that form of teaching or any other can accomplish. One of these is to overcome entirely all hereditary traits, and to make, as a rustic orator eloquently remarked, "the incompetent competent, the intemperate temperate, and the industrious dextrous." Neither high school nor academy nor college can thoroughly eradicate what is born into a child, or give the boy who was bred in a hovel among drunksards quite so good a chance as one who was moulded among heroes and saints.

The most that can be claimed is that, on the whole, these institutions accomplish all that can be expected of them; that they bring merit to the front, and confer some good even on those of inferior merit. The test of this is to be found in the experience of successive generations; and the best proof that this experience goes all one way is in the steady growth of superior instruction in our towns and cities and counties and states. For our whole public-school system is a thing evolved or developed among an essentially frugal, hard-headed and rather unsentimental people; and the wide consent among this race of people in every locality in favor of the high-school system is, on the whole, a sufficient proof that it turns out a class of graduates who are a help to their parents, and not an incubus upon them. Were it otherwise, it needs but little acquaintance with our people to know that the whole system would long since have been thrown overboard.

## Mr. Cutler's School.

(Boston Beacon.)

—Mr. E. H. Cutler, hitherto headmaster of the high school at Newton, and formerly principal of the high school at Providence, R. I., will open at Newton, on the third Monday in September, a preparatory school for boys. He will teach all the branches required of boys entering college for the scientific schools, and meet the requirements of young men in want of an English education. Mr. Cutler is a graduate of Brown University, used to teach mathematics in that institution, is exceptionally efficient in the classical and modern languages, and has an irreproachable character. It is an open secret that he was not wanted at the Newton high-school for reasons which the lords and masters of that institution have been so prudent as to keep to themselves. In other words, a perfectly competent and justly honored teacher has been obliged to yield to bossism, and is now doing the best thing possible, that is, running an opposition school in which he is likely to continue his very excellent record. A teacher inferior to Mr. Cutler in scholarship and character would deserve public support if abused by bosses who do not know the difference between a trusteeship and personal preferences. Persons disposed to become professional teachers should know that in Andover, Newton and elsewhere in Massachusetts a teacher is apt to be treated as a hired man who is engaged or discharged like a private servant, and is expected first of all to "please" the bosses. Under such circumstances every teacher is to be congratulated upon gaining his personal and professional freedom; for it is intolerable that a free man and a scholar should become the tool and subject of the bosses, be they technically known as a school committee, visitors, trustees, superintendents, overseers, or anything else. A true teacher must be a free agent. If he is not that, he will be a poor teacher. And the authorities technically in charge of our schools are not by any means the best judges of good teaching.

## August Magazine Notes.

Mr. T. R. Sullivan will have a story in the August Scribner's—"The Lost Rembrandt"; Mr. George Hitchcock, a young American artist who has lived some years in Holland, an illustrated article on "The Picturesque Quality of Holland"; Professor N. S. Shaler another paper in his series, this one entitled, "The Instability of the Atmosphere"; Arlo Bates will discuss the theory of realism in an essay on "Realism and the Art of Fiction," and the Thackeray letters will contain several fac-similes and drawings which have been sent to Mrs. Brookfield by her friends, among them part of a letter to Mrs. Elliot, with two drawings.

Governor Foraker of Ohio has prepared for the August number of the Forum, an article setting forth at length the reasons why in his judgment the Republican party

should be returned to power. The argument will touch upon all the important issues of the coming campaign.

Charles Egbert Craddock's new serial in Wide Awake, "The Story of Keodon Bluffs," is without doubt the most important contribution of the year to juvenile literature.

"Eighty-seven." Pansy is at her best in this her latest story, which is all about Chautauqua, but will interest hundreds who never heard of the C. L. S. C., or heard with deaf ears. They will know all about it from this book, that is, if one can know all about a thing which is constantly growing and multiplying at a fabulous ratio of increase.

There are two notable short stories in the Atlantic for August, which will attract the attention of summer readers. One, entitled "A Mad Englishman," is by Margaret Crosby, and tells about the freaks of a young English gentleman in love with a gypsy life. The other is a negro dialect story by Charles W. Chestnutt, entitled "The Gophered Grapevine." "The Personal Characteristics of Charles Reade" forms the subject of a very interesting article by E. H. House, who knew Mr. Reade personally. Another paper about a noted man is Thomas H. Clay's "Two Years with Old Hickory," made up largely of quotations from the letters of Francis Preston Blair, editor of the Washington Globe, and giving an interesting account of the political events of 1830, and of life in Washington at that period. "The Spell of the Russian Writers" forms the subject of an article by Harriet Waters Preston, marked by her usual critical skill. It gives brief accounts of most of the recent Russian writers, partly critical. Mr. William Cranston Lawton has a second paper on "The Alkestis of Euripides," and lastly Dr. Oliver Wendell Holmes continues his papers on "Our Hundred Days in Europe."

## Miscellaneous.

—"I religiously use this delightful preparation," says Mrs. Langtry in a cosmetic testimonial. Puts on when she goes to church, we suppose.—[Syracuse Herald.]

—Two sides to it—Striker (coming home at 1 p. m.)—"Biddy, plow's the sun supper?" Wife—"O've struck. Oi can't work 24 hours a day whin yerself won't put in tin."—[Life.]

"Young man," said the long-haired passenger, solemnly, "do you drink whisky?" "Well—er—I am sorry to say," confessed the young man, with a blush of shame, "that I do occasionally drink a little, sir." "Well, try a swig at that," said the long-haired passenger, passing over a quart bottle.—[New York Sun.]

—"It's \$100 in your pocket," whispered the defendant's lawyer to the juror, "if you can bring about a verdict of manslaughter in the second degree." Such proved to be the verdict, and the lawyer thanked the juror warmly as he paid him the money. "Yes," said the juror, "it was tough work. But I got there after a while. All the rest went in for acquittal."—Omaha World.

—At a Boston hotel the head waiter came out of the office and informed the learned and cultured clerk that a man was raising a disturbance because he could not have his accustomed seat at the table. "Go in again," said the Browning saturated clerk, "and propitiate him in some way—I leave it to you." Back went the waiter to the dissatisfied boarder and said, "If you don't like the way things is done here, you can git right out or I'll propitiate you pretty quick."—[Hotel Mail.]

—At the Howland house I saw the following entry, "Mr. John Laden, Mrs. Laden, Miss May Laden, Miss Laden's maid, one groom and two horses." A gentleman who arrived immediately afterward was struck with the humor of this and wrote, "Mr. and Mrs. Ottman and two canary birds." The third man came along and took the whole matter seriously. Evidently laboring under the impression that it was the proper thing to do, he registered thus, "John Brown of Boston (and horse)."—Town Topics.

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—Mrs. Alden Speare is at St. Johnsbury, Vt.  
—Rev. Mr. Wheeler is taking his vacation.  
—Rev. Amos Lawrence has gone to Seal Harbor.  
—Mrs. Ann O'Brien is building a house on Station street.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Claffin have gone to St. Andrews, N. B.  
—Mr. Job F. Bailey and family are at the Oregon House, Hull.  
—Miss Minnie Speare has returned home from Lake Winnepesaukee.  
—Mrs. A. E. Royce is at the Deer Park Hotel, North Woodstock, N. H.  
—Mrs. Trowbridge and her daughter, Mrs. Hollis, are at Dr. Bodge's.  
—Mr. Brayton's little son, who was so critically ill, is improving.  
—Miss Annie McAllister has gone to Blue Hills.  
—Miss Carrie Foote of Brooklyn is staying at Mr. John Sanborn's.  
—J. W. Oliphant and Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Welch have gone to Harwich.  
—Mr. H. H. Read and family are at Walpole, Mass., for a few weeks.  
—Mr. Andrew F. Leatherbee and family are sojourning at Princeton, Mass.  
—Principal Harwood and wife have gone to Ware to remain through August.  
—Mr. Francis H. Wheeler and family have gone to Falmouth for a short time.  
—Rev. and Mrs. Theodore Holmes have gone to Waterville, Me., for a few weeks.  
—Ex-Gov. Claffin has recovered from his illness and was out again on Tuesday, the 28th.  
—Mr. James White lost a valuable horse the other day, which he had just purchased.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Alfred A. Sherman are registered at the Pawnee House, Cottage City.  
—Mrs. M. L. Lee and daughter of Athol have been making a short visit in this village.  
—Boating on Crystal Lake has been more popular than ever during the present hot weather.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Stanton Loring have just returned from a trip on his yacht, the "Helen."  
—Mrs. Wilkins of Sumner street, and Mrs. Ordway of Gibbs street, have returned from Magnolia.  
—The house belonging to Mrs. Stephen Ellis is occupied by Dr. and Mrs. Packer and their children.  
—Officer Fuller has gone to Provincetown on his vacation, and Officer Bartlett has gone to Connecticut.  
—A number of pupils have recently joined Mrs. Thorpe's class for the treatment of imperfect speech.  
—It is respectfully suggested that the street department take immediate steps towards removing poison ivy from our streets.  
—Rev. J. J. Peck is occupying the pulpit of the Baptist church at Dorchester while the pastor, Rev. Mr. Ferguson, is in Europe.  
—A gravel train tipped over Saturday morning at Riverside, making the trains from here and the Highlands over half an hour late.  
—Lewis R. Speare, son of the Hon. Alden Speare, is erecting a residence near the mammoth chestnut tree on Irving street. Ireland Bros. are the contractors.  
—Mrs. Loring from Boston, sister of Mrs. Howes, is spending the summer at the residence of Mr. E. M. Fowle, Crescent avenue.  
—The striking apparatus of the clock on the Mason School building has been out of order the past week, and there will be another job for the clock-man.  
—The improvements on Gibbs street are nearly completed, and a large force of men have been at work for several days. The hill has been levelled and the street graded.  
—The great base ball game of the season will be played Thursday, at 3 p. m., Aug. 4, at Newton Highlands, by the clerks of Newton Centre and the ditto of West Newton.  
—Mrs. Lecompte, Miss Adelaide Lecompte, Mrs. J. A. Baldwin, Misses Alice and Bessie Baldwin, Miss Marion Nickerson and Ernest Nickerson have gone to South West Harbor, Mount Desert.  
—The "Foresters" held a very successful picnic at Lake Walden, on the Fitchburg railroad. A large number went from Newton Centre, and rather carried off the palm in all the sports, especially base ball (Newtons, 7; Aetnas, 3), boating and jumping.  
—Rev. W. M. Mick, pastor of Jefferson street church, Providence, who has been in the west for the past three months seeking health, is spending a few weeks with his family, at his father-in-law's, Mr. N. L. King.  
—Mrs. Maria Upham Drake's terse and eloquent presentation of the temperance question from the standpoint of the home, at the Framingham assembly, captured her hearers and won very high commendations.  
—James F. Morton has returned from the camp in Lake View, South Framingham, where he and nine other Newton boys were staying. He received a diploma in the Normal Sunday school class. He has also passed his preliminaries at Harvard.  
—Dean Huntington of the Boston University, and Mrs. Huntington, have gone to Amherst to be present at the marriage of Miss Huntington, sister of the Dean, and niece of the Right Rev. Bishop Huntington of New York, to Dr. Wellington of the Agricultural college.  
—The friends of Miss Lillie Danforth, formerly of this village, will be interested to know that she was married in Waverly, July 16, to W. E. Brown of the Boston office of the Western Union Telegraph

Company. They will reside in Lowell, Mass., where for the last two years Miss Danforth has been employed by the same company.

—By the wreck of the Merrimack on her way to Cape Breton, Mr. David F. Cook lost all his property, which consisted of clothing, bedding, books, papers, &c. He was not on board, because his physician advised him not to make the trip. He is in poor health with a family to support. It is hoped our benevolent citizens will make up his loss in part or in full.

**CHESTNUT HILL.**

—Mr. I. F. Kingsbury, our genial City Clerk, returns from his week's outing "Down East" much refreshed.  
—The engagement of Mr. Arthur H. Sargent and Miss Emeline H. White, daughter of Mr. R. H. White, is announced.  
—Mrs. Thomas Groom of Dorchester is visiting her elder daughter, Mrs. Francis P. Denny, during the absence of Mr. Groom in England. Mr. Groom's many friends will be glad to learn that his health has improved since he arrived on the shores of his mother country. He will return next month.  
—The residents of this place complain of the water supply in this vicinity, the pressure being very slight, and they are very desirous to have high service, in order to give them more pressure in their dwellings and stables. They have also petitioned the city council for plank sidewalks, which ought to be granted.

**NEWTON HIGHLANDS.**

—Mrs. Gilbert and son are at Goshen in this state.  
—Mr. and Mrs. George Beal have returned from their visit to Marshfield and Cohasset.  
—Mrs. Hilton and Mrs. L. K. Brigham are at Cottage City, Martha's Vineyard for a few days.  
—We notice an advertisement of boats to let on the Lake promenade, Lake avenue, near Beacon street.  
—The first car-load of granite curbing has arrived for the projected improvements in Fountain Square.  
—Mr. G. A. Moore, master at Hyde School and wife, have gone to Maine to visit the place of his nativity.  
—Mr. John P. Tenney has returned from a visit to Sanborn, N. H. Mrs. Tenney will remain for a few days longer.  
—Mrs. C. S. Fifield, formerly residing at the Highlands, is very ill at Quincy, with but little hopes of her recovery.  
—Mr. Arthur R. Coe recently gave a report of the Saratoga Convention at the Congregational church, under the auspices of the Y. P. S. C. E.  
—Miss Helen Norton, a returned missionary from Honolulu, Sandwich Islands, is spending a few weeks with Rev. Mr. Phipps.  
—Miss Anthony, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Robbins, for a few weeks past, has gone to Squirrel Island at the mouth of Kennebec River for a short stay.  
—At the display of flowers and fruits at Horticultural Hall, Saturday, E. Fewkes & Son, and J. F. C. Hyde received gratuities for hollyhocks. J. F. C. Hyde also took a second prize for sweet peas.  
—Rev. Mr. Campbell of Boston Highlands, occupied the pulpit at the Congregational church last Sabbath morning and evening. Mr. L. Harrison Lovewell, organist for a few Sabbaths past, has been engaged until September.  
—Mrs. M. J. Blank, wife of Prof. Blank of Cook street, who has been very ill for many weeks, is now being attended by Dr. Baker of Newton Lower Falls, who reports a marked improvement in her condition.  
—Mr. J. F. Heckman and family are sojourning at Kennebunkport, Me., where they have spent their vacation season for several years. Kennebunkport seems to be quite a favorite place of resort for Newton people.  
—Councilman E. G. Pond and family are at Nantasket for a few weeks. We would not entertain the thought for a moment that our Pond was a "fresh pond" in a slang sense, but he seems to crave salt.  
—Crystal Lake still hold out its temptations to the stay-at-homes to indulge in bathing and boating or tarry under the shade of the grand old trees, on the pebbly western shore.  
—On the Pierce land between Boylston and Centre streets, is quite an extensive market garden, conducted by Mr. James White. We notice what has never been seen in our neighborhood before, an extensive field of pole beans, where nearly 4,000 poles have been planted. It is now looking finely, and will soon be in blossom.  
—Messrs. Corrigan & Smith, contractors and builders of Boston, have purchased the estate on Woodward street belonging to a Mr. Taylor of Boston, directly opposite the Woodward estate, and which has been leased by Mr. Thomas Ryan for the past six years. It consists of 17 acres of land with the buildings, consisting of two houses and a barn. They report paying \$20,000 for the estate. The tenants have been notified to remove, as the owners desire to commence making improvements at once.

**NEWTON UPPER FALLS.**

—Mrs. A. C. Edes is at Onset Bay.  
—Mr. Frank J. Hale is off on a pleasure trip to Nova Scotia.  
—Mrs. Eugene Fanning is spending a few days at New London, Conn.  
—Mrs. Otis W. Everett and little son are stopping at Mr. N. W. Everett's for a short time.  
—Mr. Martin Drake, treasurer of the Globe Theatre, has been spending the past week in this village.  
—Mrs. J. A. Gould is spending a few days with Mr. Samuel Winslow, Mayor of Worcester, at his summer home in Leicester.  
—The repairs on the Methodist church are progressing very satisfactorily, but it will be some time before the house is again ready for occupancy.  
—A fact, which to our knowledge is of unusual occurrence, is the case of a young girl of this village, a Miss Katie Dixon, who, although of but twelve years of age, is now cutting her third set of teeth, two

of which are through the gums, and are plainly seen, and other teeth are coming through. We should be glad to know the reason for this freak of nature, especially as the young lady is not of robust health.

—Mr. H. O. Billings has returned from his European trip. While in London he had the pleasure of meeting our Upper Falls representatives in the persons of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Sherman.

—The Electric Light Company have set the City of Newton a most excellent example by painting all the poles recently placed in our streets by them. The city authorities could greatly improve the appearance of some of our streets by following in the footsteps of the Electric Light Company and giving the fire alarm poles the much needed coat of paint.

—On Monday morning Mr. Richard Boynton died at his residence on the Needham side of the river, at the good old age of nearly 80 years. During the prime of life he was a very active and influential man in village and town affairs, and his death removes another of the connecting links between the past and present generations. His funeral occurred on Wednesday afternoon at the Baptist church, Rev. Mr. Mudge officiating.

**NEWTON LOWER FALLS.**

—See notice of table board wanted.  
—Mrs. Dr. Baker and Miss Grace Gilbert are at Kennebunkport.  
—A coat of paint has greatly improved the appearance of the electric light poles.  
—Chas. W. Godsoe and daughter have been on a short visit to New Brunswick.  
—Several visitors from this place were entertained at the Framingham camp last week by Messrs. Ayres and Hayden of the Claffin Guard.  
—On Monday morning a man suffering from the effects of the heat became quite helpless near the corner of Washington and Wales streets. He was cared for by Mr. Doeg, who notified Special Officer Early, by whom the poor man was removed to the cottage hospital. He was speedily relieved and at last accounts was in a fair way to recover.

**Souvenir of Echo Bridge.**

The Souvenir of Echo Bridge published this week by the Fanning Printing company, is a very handsome specimen of the printer's art, and visitors to the bridge will be glad to have the tasteful little volume, for the information it conveys and the illustrations. It contains a sketch of the bridge, its history and surroundings, a poem containing an interesting legend connected with the famous echo, and a short description of the Sudbury river conduit. There are a large number of excellent illustrations, and the book is printed on the finest of paper, with white parchment covers. Copies can be found at the post office at Upper Falls, or obtained of the publishers, at the low price of 40 cents.

**Receipt for Raspberry Shrub.**

Put five quarts of ripe raspberries into a large earthen bowl or stone jar, and pour over them one quart of strong, well-flavored vinegar; wash well and let stand 24 hours. Then strain through a flannel, and pour the liquid obtained over 4 quarts of fresh berries. Let this stand as before, then strain and pour over another 4 quarts of fresh fruit. When the last is prepared, put it into a stone jar and add one pound of fine granulated sugar to each pint of the liquid. As soon as the sugar is dissolved, stir it well and put the jar into a pan or kettle of hot water where it may simmer for some time. Skim carefully until nothing rises to the surface. Take from the stove and bottle when perfectly cool. One-half of the receipt makes six quarts of shrub, and a delicious drink.—[J.]

**Chauncy Hall School.**

The 50th catalogue of Chauncy Hall school in Boston has been published. The change in the requirements in physics for entering Harvard college has been met by the school, aided by a gift of \$1,100. Two new prizes have been added, and greater attention is paid to the study of English. In another column will be found an advertisement of the school, calling attention to many special advantages it offers to its students.

**DEACON HENRY CLAFFIN.**

From The Christian Register.

Deacon Henry Claffin, who died the 20th of April, 1887, in his seventy-fifth year, was one of the oldest residents of Newton, and identified with all that pertains to its recent growth. He was among the earliest members of the Channing Church, and for many years a prominent merchant of Boston. In business circles, he was held in the highest esteem; and his name was one upon which no shadow of reproach ever fell. I well remember how, years ago, men who had known him only as a man of business spoke of him not only in respectful, but kindly, terms. This always seemed to me an assurance that the same kind and gentle spirit was revealed in all places, at all times, and under all circumstances. At an early age he accepted the principles of liberal Christianity; and his whole life was one of unobtrusive yet earnest and unswerving devotion to them. They shaped his ideals and regulated his practice. During the earlier part of his active career, he was a member of the Church of the Messiah in New York City. But, while still a comparatively young man, he removed, nearly forty years ago, to Newton. During the time before the organization of a liberal Christian church in Newton, he was a constant attendant upon the religious services at the First Parish Church of Watertown. When, later, a little society was organized in his own neighborhood, he was among those who met in Union Hall from September, 1851, until the time when the little church was erected on Washington street.

For many years, he was one of the deacons of Channing Church, and from the beginning of its history to the time of his death closely identified with all its interests and in sympathy with its aims. He was one of the few by whose generosity the building of our first church edifice was rendered possible. He likewise aided in its enlargement; and when the new stone church was erected on Vernon street, he

gave not only according to, but almost beyond his power.

It is, indeed, to men like him that we are largely indebted for the enlarged opportunities we to-day enjoy. But Mr. Claffin's beneficence was not confined to special exigencies. His influence was quiet, yet constant as the falling of the dew. His acting was unnoted except in its results, and revealed in its brightest form only when it had ceased, and we could see of how much his departure had deprived us. He was so constantly, yet so quietly, doing something, that it might well seem, to those who knew him little, that he was doing nothing. Yet there is hardly a noble enterprise connected with our church work in which he was not a willing and effective helper. Only a few months ago, my attention was called to an item in one of the old records of the sewing circle, which disclosed the fact that it was owing to his timely and generous act that Channing Church has a ward in the New England Hospital today.

Nor was Deacon Claffin among those who contribute to institutions in which they have no living interest. He not only gave money, but he gave himself to the church. He gave to it his constant presence at the Sunday service. His pastor never failed to see him in his place, and might rest assured of his benign consideration. His fellow-worshippers were seldom deprived of his fellowship in their devotions, and to have that fellowship was so much to them all. For it is seldom that any of us are permitted to behold a man whose face can make us realize what the phrase "beauty of holiness" means more than his. Even now that he is taken from our sight, memory loves to dwell upon "the good gray head which all men knew."

But Mr. Claffin was not only an honorable man of business and an earnest helper in the church; he was also a public-spirited citizen. He was interested in the affairs of his adopted city, and took an intelligent part in whatever concerned the interests of the State and nation. In so far as politics means a service of self, he was above it; but in so far as it means a service of the community in which one lives, and the country to which one belongs, he considered that it had a right to his time and thought. Never caring for office, he was year after year implicitly trusted with the responsibility of selecting others to fill it. He found his satisfaction in the performance of civic duty which belongs to every citizen. And it is to his praise that he did what, to their shame be it spoken, so many neglect or decline to do. It was in his own home, however, that Deacon Claffin was seen and known at his best. Not that he was there other than he was elsewhere, but that in his home the sweetness of his gentle spirit was more fully disclosed and the meaning of his quiet ways better understood. He had the rare good-fortune to see his children and grandchildren gathered to the last about him. Time did not separate his dear ones from him, but brought to him more for his affection to nurture. When, in Mt. Auburn, I saw his six grandchildren placing their little wreaths of flowers upon his bosom, I was reminded as never before of the way in which the generations of men are drawn together and made one by the constraining power of a loving heart; and I realized that he does not die who lives on thus in the hearts he has blessed by what he was and what he was to them.

John Wesley used to say, "Our people die well." With the memory of a life like that of Deacon Claffin in our hearts, we may say what is better still,—"Our people live well." And it is just because our friend was so true to all responsibilities here that we feel sure he will be true to them wherever he may be called; and, just because God helped him to do a manly part here, we have a confident trust that beyond the vale the same strength will be given him and the same hand will guide him. "For we are persuaded that neither life nor death, nor things present nor things to come, shall be able to separate [him] from the love of God which is in Christ Jesus our Lord."

At a meeting of the members of Channing Church, Newton, it was unanimously deemed fitting that a memorial, expressive of their appreciation of the services and worth of Mr. Henry Claffin, be prepared by the pastor. In accordance with that request, I have sought to indicate some of those services and some of those traits of character which made Mr. Claffin so esteemed in the community and so dear to us.

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